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## CHINESE LAUNCH HEAVY ATTACK ON MUKDEN

### SHANGHAI'S LATEST BOMB RAID

### CENTRAL STORE WRECKED

### WARNING COMPLIANCE IGNORED

### RIVAL PARTY'S THREATS

Shanghai, Sept. 1.  
Another serious bombing incident in the heart of Shanghai last night has tightened the anti-Japanese tension according to a vivid account of the affair in the *China Press* this morning.

A clock store in the central district was bombed and damaged by terrorists belonging to the "Bloody Group for the Extermination of Traitors" presumably, since last week the owners of the store stated that they had received a warning letter from the organisation.

The letter demanded that a search be made of the stock for evidence of Japanese merchandise.

#### THROWN FROM CAR.

Despite the fact that a search was made and that no evidences were found, without further warning last night, a bomb was thrown from a motor-car during the height of the traffic, in which the bombers quickly disappeared.

The shop sustained considerable damage, wreckage being strewn all over the place, but fortunately there were no casualties as a result of the explosion.

#### JAPANESE WARNINGS.

According to the *China Press*, which quotes the *Eastern Times*, a Japanese group calling the "Red Jacked Protection Corps" has been formed to oppose the activities of the "Bloody Group" and has warned merchants that it will retaliate against the boycott of Japanese goods with pistols and bombs.—*Reuter*.

### YOUTHFUL EARL'S ROMANCE

### MARRIES COUSIN SECRETLY

Calgary, Aug. 31.  
It was revealed to-day that the eighteen-year-old Earl of Egmont, son of the "Rancher Earl," who returned to Canada after the death of his father in a motor smash in England in May last, was recently married to his cousin, Miss Anna Geraldine Moodie.

The Earl and Countess of Egmont are now on their honeymoon in British Columbia.—*Reuter*.

### SWEDISH MATCH COMPANY

### RECONSTRUCTION APPROVED.

Stockholm, Aug. 31.  
The representatives of American creditor banks have now definitely assented to the proposals for the reconstruction of the Swedish Match Company.

The investigators of the Company's position are convinced that it would be in the best interests of creditors for the company to continue in business.—*Reuter*.

### INDUSTRIAL PLANNING SCHEME RESENT SYSTEM HELD SUFFICIENT.

London, Aug. 31.  
The Committee appointed to investigate the desirability of promoting new industrial development of a central organisation to institute research, has reported that the existing Government organisation is efficient and sufficiently flexible for the purpose and that they are unable, therefore, to recommend the establishment of a new organisation.—*British Wireless*.

### PAYNTER TO GO TO AUSTRALIA

K. S. DULEEPSINHJI UNWELL

### SUSSEX'S LAPSES EXPLAINED

London, Aug. 31.  
In view of the illness of K. S. Duleepsinhji, the brilliant Sussex skipper-hatsman, the M.C.C. have selected an extra man, Paynter (Lancashire) to accompany the team to Australia.

Duleepsinhji has been suffering from neuritis which has kept him out of the Sussex team for the last few matches, a heavy blow to the county which had a distinct chance of carrying off the championship until Duleepsinhji's absence destroyed much of their power.

The famous Indian player will be unable to sail with the other members of the M.C.C. on September 17, but he hopes to be able to join the side later.

Paynter is a left-hander, possessing considerable searing power and commendable smartness in the field. His stroke play is held to be rather limited and he has not revealed in representative games his prowess in county matches.—*Reuter*.

### SUN'S ECLIPSE DISAPPOINTMENT

### CLOUDS OBSCURE OBSERVATION

New York, Aug. 31.  
Business throughout the city was virtually suspended at ten minutes during to-day's eclipse of the sun.

Thousands upon thousands of workers gathered on the roofs and at windows to witness a 95 per cent. eclipse in an almost cloudless sky.

Unfortunately from a scientific viewpoint, similar conditions did not prevail at points where totality occurred.

The scientists assembled at Conway, New Hampshire, were disappointed as dark clouds obscured the phenomenon, only a thin rim of light from the corona being visible.

The British party of observers, assembled at Magog, Quebec, were equally disappointed. Clouds destroyed all chance of observation of the totality.—*Reuter*.

### GUEST OF KING GEORGE

### MR. THOMAS RETURNS TO LONDON

London, Aug. 31.  
The Dominions Secretary, Mr. J. H. Thomas, returned to London to-day from Balmoral, where, with the Prime Minister, he has been the guest of the King.

After a brief visit to the

### FIERCE FIGHTING

### FRESH DRIVE BY VOLUNTEERS

### JAPANESE HARD PRESSED

Tokyo, Sept. 1.  
Heavy fighting is proceeding between Japanese troops and hosts of "Volunteers" in the vicinity of Mukden, according to a message from the *Asahi* correspondent.

The seriousness of the situation is now admitted in Japanese circles. The strictest martial law is being maintained in Mukden, whose streets are still silent, despite the fact that this involves the reduction of men available for the scene of the fighting.

The *Asahi* correspondent says that the fresh series of attacks by the Chinese Volunteers against Mukden were launched early this morning and bitter encounters have occurred at a dozen places.

Groups of marauders estimated at least five thousand are moving towards Mukden from all points of the compass, their passage being strenuously resisted.

The invaders are plentifully equipped with machine-guns and trench mortars, as well as rifles, and first news of the actual fighting suggests that they are making headway. It is said that the attackers are aiming chiefly at the arsenal, the aerodrome and the radio station.—*Reuter*.

### SHAKEN NERVES

### MOLLISON NOT TO FLY HOME

### MEDICAL ADVICE

London, Aug. 31.  
The Atlantic airman, Mr. J. A. Mollison, who has been awaiting favourable weather in Nova Scotia to continue his return flight to England, has, on urgent medical advice, decided to abandon the project and will leave Quebec for England on Saturday aboard the Empress of Britain.

Mollison's nerves were severely shaken during his experiences on the outward flight across the Atlantic.

He received several appeals from this side to accept his doctor's advice, including a cable from Lord Wakefield, who has supported most of his long-distance flights.

Mollison is flying to Quebec to-morrow, it is understood.

### HUMAN MACHINERY.

The famous airman says: "I have already demonstrated the superiority of British aeroplane manufacturers, which was what I set out to prove."

"If anything went wrong on the return trip through the failure of human machinery, it would be detrimental to British aviation."—*Reuter and British Wireless*.

### SIKH BOYCOTT OF ROUND TABLE

### DISSATISFIED WITH COMMUNAL AWARD

Lahore, Aug. 31.

The dissatisfaction of the Sikhs at the British Government's Communal electorate decision, is shown by a resolution passed by the Sikh "Council of Action," prohibiting Sikhs from participating in the Round Table Conference and urging Sikh legislators to resign and to take re-election in



Recruits to the Reichswehr taking the national oath at Potsdam. The old Junker spirit is awakening to new life, sublimated by President Hindenburg.

### GERMAN DEFENCE DEMARCHE

### ARMAMENTS EQUALITY DEMANDED

### NOTE TO FRANCE

LONDON, AUG. 31.  
EUROPE HAS BEEN PROVIDED WITH A FRESH SENSATION BY A LEAKAGE OF INFORMATION REGARDING A GERMAN NOTE TO FRANCE CONCERNING PLANS FOR THE REORGANISATION OF GERMANY'S DEFENCES AND DEMANDING EQUALITY IN ARMAMENTS.

The demand was foreshadowed at the closing session of the Disarmament Conference when Germany refused to subscribe to the resolution submitted. It was not expected, nevertheless, that any demarche would made until after the Conference had re-assembled.

It is understood that the British Government has already been approached in the same matter by the Wilhelmstrasse, but only verbally. The Note to France is formal.

### M. HERRIOT RETURNING TO PARIS

London, Aug. 31.  
Reuter's correspondent cabled to London to-day making the announcement that an important note from the French Ambassador in Berlin had been received by the Quai D'Orsay and despatched to M. Herriot at Cherbourg.

It is understood that the Note communicates the von Papen Government's views on the reorganisation of the German army.

### STRICT SILENCE.

The Foreign Office maintains a strict silence regarding the contents of the Note, but it is assumed to advance Germany's claims to equality in armaments, in which connexion it is believed that Britain has also been approached.

M. Herriot is leaving Cherbourg for Paris at once and the German demarche will be discussed at a special meeting of the Cabinet to-morrow.

### GERMANY ANNOYED.

In the meantime, Reuter's correspondent in Berlin states that German official quarters, while admitting a new demarche in connexion with the reorganisation of Germany's defences, are somewhat indignant that the news has been allowed to slip out before the contents of the Note are known to M. Herriot.—*Reuter*.

### LOAN CONVERSION.

Paris, Later.  
In addition to Germany's Note, the Cabinet meeting to-morrow will also discuss a French loan conversion scheme which is expected to apply to about a hundred millions of francs, on bonds bearing from five to seven per cent. interest.

Paris, Aug. 31.  
The Postmaster General announces that the radio telephone service with ships on the North Atlantic route now covers the Empress of Britain, the Homeric, the Leviathan, the Majestic, the

### HOME FOOTBALL

### THROSTLES MAKE GOOD START

### BEAT CHAMPIONS & RUNNERS-UP

### BRADFORD UPSET

London, Aug. 31.  
Are West Bromwich Albion to prove the team of the year? On Saturday they defeated Everton, the champions, easily at the Hawthorns. To-day they defeated the Arsenal, runners-up in League and Cup, in London, by the odd goal of three.

Other sides to obtain their second victory of the season in the first division to-day were Derby County, who disposed of Blackburn and Portsmouth, who beat Chelsea, 2-0.

In the Second Division, Oldham gave Bradford a shock, and in the Third Division (South), the Palace took the leadership from Everton by defeating Brighton with five goals to spare. The result seems to indicate that the Palace, who went through last season without a home defeat will not easily allow their record to be upset.

Gateshead are on top of the Northern Section. They won 3-1 at Darlington to-day, after a 4-0 win on Saturday. Results:

FIRST DIVISION.	
Arsenal	1 West Bromwich 2
Brighton	2 Blackburn 1
Derby	2 Wednesday 0
Everton	1 Middlesbrough 0
Leeds	1 Newcastle 0
Oldham	2 Port Vale 0
Portsmouth	2 Chelsea 1

SECOND DIVISION.	
Barnsley	1 Oldham 0
Bath	2 Plymouth 0
Brentford	4 Grimsby 3
Bristol	2 Torquay 0
Bruton	5 Brighton 0
Bury	0 Norwich 0
Cardiff	2 Newport 0
Cheltenham	1 Reading 0

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH).	
Bristol City	2 Torquay 0
Bruton	5 Brighton 0
Cardiff	0 Norwich 0
Cheltenham	2 Newport 0
Exeter	1 Reading 0
Gillingham	1 Mansfield 0
Grimsby	2 Stockport 0
Leeds	1 Southport 0
Portsmouth	1 Gateshead 0
Swindon	4 Harpenden 0
Watford	1 Mansfield 0

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH).	

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## CONTRACT BRIDGE

By W. E. McKenney.

This hand was played by Mr. T. A. Lightner of New York. His partner for this hand was Mr. George Reith, also of New York.

♦A-K-J	♦Q-8-5	♦A-J-10-9	♦A-8-4
♦10-9	♦8-6-2	♦J-4	♦7-6-2
♦7-6-3	♦7-6-3	♦4	♦J-9-2
♦Q-5-3	♦A-K-9-7-3-2	♦4	♦J-9-2
♦A-K-9-7-3-2	♦4	♦4	♦J-9-2

The Bidding.

Neither side was vulnerable. Mr. Lightner, sitting in the South and his partner, Mr. Reith, sitting in the North, were using the One over One system. Mr. Lightner opened the bidding with one heart. West passed and Mr. Reith in the North bid one spade—somewhat psychic, but a forcing bid which requires partner to re-bid. East passed and Mr. Lightner bid two hearts. Mr. Reith in the North then bid six hearts.

The Play.

The ten of spades was opened by West which North the dummy won with the king. A small heart was returned from dummy and won by Mr. Lightner in the South with the king. He then led the ace of hearts, picking up the outstanding trump of the opponents, and followed with a small spade, winning in dummy with the ace and returning the jack of spades winning in his own hand with the queen, stripping both his hand and that of the dummy of spades. Mr. Lightner, the declarer, next led the four of diamonds, winning in dummy with the ace.

In order to make six odd, Mr. Lightner must now find at least one diamond honor in the East hand, therefore he led the jack of diamonds. When East covered with the queen, Mr. Lightner trumped and led a small heart, winning in dummy with the queen. The ten of diamonds was then led and East refused to cover, trying to make the declarer guess. But it was immaterial to Mr. Lightner who held the queen of diamonds so he discarded the deuce of clubs. If West happened to hold the queen of diamonds, then the declarer would be able to discard his losing club on the nine of diamonds and either way he was assured of his small slam, East and West getting only one club trick.

### THE COTTON STRIKE

MORE EMPLOYEES CEASE WORK IN LANCASHIRE

London, Aug. 31. No move has taken place to bring the parties to the Lancashire cotton dispute together.

A meeting of the employers' organisations was held in Manchester and, though no statement was made at its conclusion, it is understood that the employers have decided to maintain for the present a waiting attitude.

The Central Committee of the Weavers' Amalgamation also met, after which the Secretary stated that the Committee, having received reports from the districts, expressed deep appreciation of the response made.

Though the number on strike to-day has increased, no stoppage has yet occurred at most of the weaving mills in South Lancashire.—*Reuter's Special*.

## AT REPULSE BAY.

### FATHER NEPTUNE WILL COME ASHORE

Information has been received from a reliable source that His Majesty, King Neptune, Father of the Seas, Lord of all the Ocean, accompanied by His Royal Spouse Amphitrite and Dolphine, his Chief of Staff, will land at Repulse Bay on the afternoon of Tuesday, 8th September, 1932.

A full retinue of Heralds, Guards, Beasts, Barbers, Doctors etc. will be in attendance.

A Court will be held immediately after His Majesty has landed and the mystic rites of Initiation into the "Freedom of the Seas" will be carried out with full ceremony.

Local residents should roll up in large numbers and see all the pomp and circumstance—and help the M.C.L. effort.

### Donations to Charity.

In connexion with this gala to be held at Repulse Bay, it is interesting to recall the allocation of funds for 1931, as an indication of the widespread nature of the charities which are helped annually. Last year's allocations were as follow:

### Local Charities.

Hongkong Benevolent Society \$1,500, Hongkong Society for the Protection of Children 1,500, Cheevo Club 1,500, C. M. S. Village School Fund, New Territories 1,000, C. M. S. Vernacular Day School, Hongkong 1,000, Netherole Hospital M.C.L. Cot 1,000, Garrison Ladies Help Society 1,000, Naval Aid Fund 1,000, C.M.S. Victoria Home and Orphanage 1,000, Protestant Alms Houses, Kowloon City 700, The Salvation Army Home, Kowloon City 600, Medical Benevolent Association 600, Building Fund C.M.S. Victoria Home and Orphanage 500, Child Welfare Society, New Territories 500, Street Boys Club 500, Mrs. Mow Fung's School for Rescue Work 500, The Blind Home, Pokfulam 500, St. Joseph's Home (Aged Poor) 300, The Hon. Secretary Young Women's Christian Association 200, The Boys' Industrial Home, Salesian Institute 200, Total \$15,600.

### Home Charities.

M. C. L. (Hongkong Cots) Ottershaw Homes and Central Fund £750.00 @Ex. 1s. 3d.=£1,200; Officers' Families' Fund £500.00 @ Ex. 1s. 3d.=£800; Edinburgh Blind Asylum £250.00 @Ex. 1s. 3d.=£400. Total \$2,400.

### Grand Total of Funds Raised.

In 1920 \$10,481, 1921 \$16,128, 1922 \$21,000, 1923 \$21,075, 1924 \$13,698, 1925 \$16,481, 1926 \$14,639, 1927 \$17,550, 1928 \$19,460, 1929 \$17,045, 1930 \$11,957, 1931 \$18,455.

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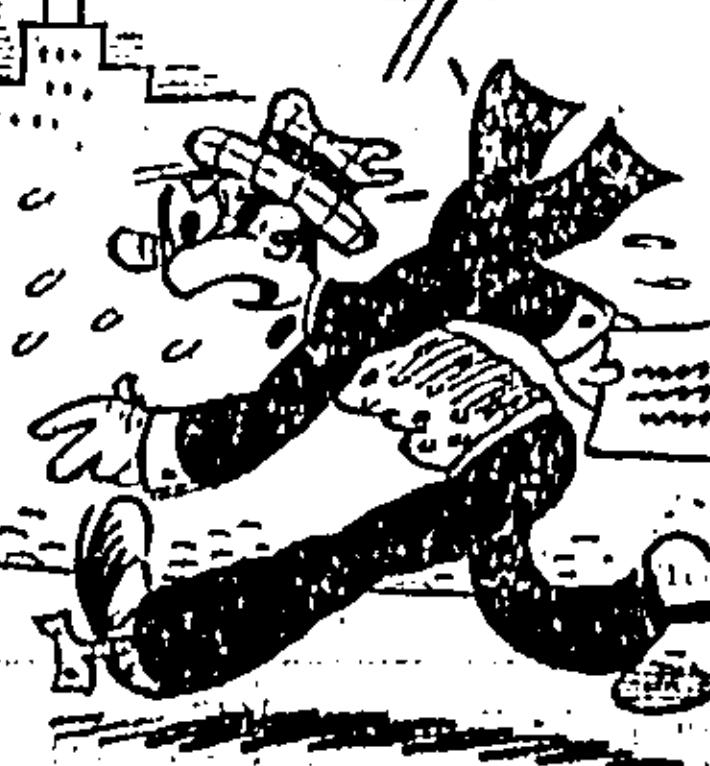
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The Turkish delegation at Geneva on the occasion of Turkey's admission to the League.



The troops, with their gas and bayonets, had come and gone, leaving smouldering desolation behind them. Members of the bonus Army in Washington had been effectively routed by charging cavalry. Those who had families, and were able to keep them together, sought refuge wherever they could—in parks, in littered vacant lots. Their own shelters and most of their personal belongings were gone. Hungry children whimpered; mothers wept hysterically. Such a scene is pictured here as a family of refugees awaited a cheerless dawn.



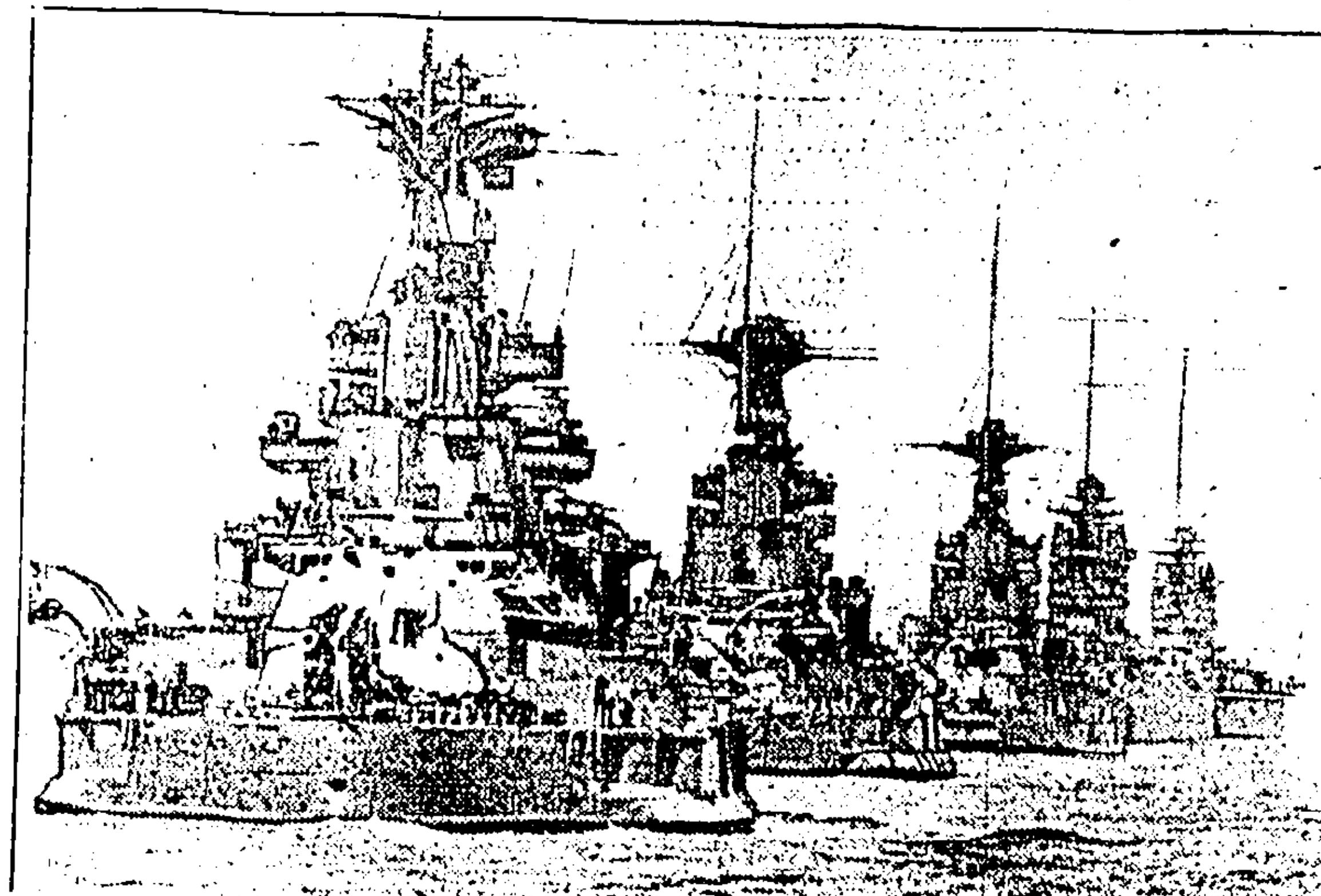
Suzanne Lenglen, taken recently in Paris where she is training seriously for a comeback, possibly as an amateur.



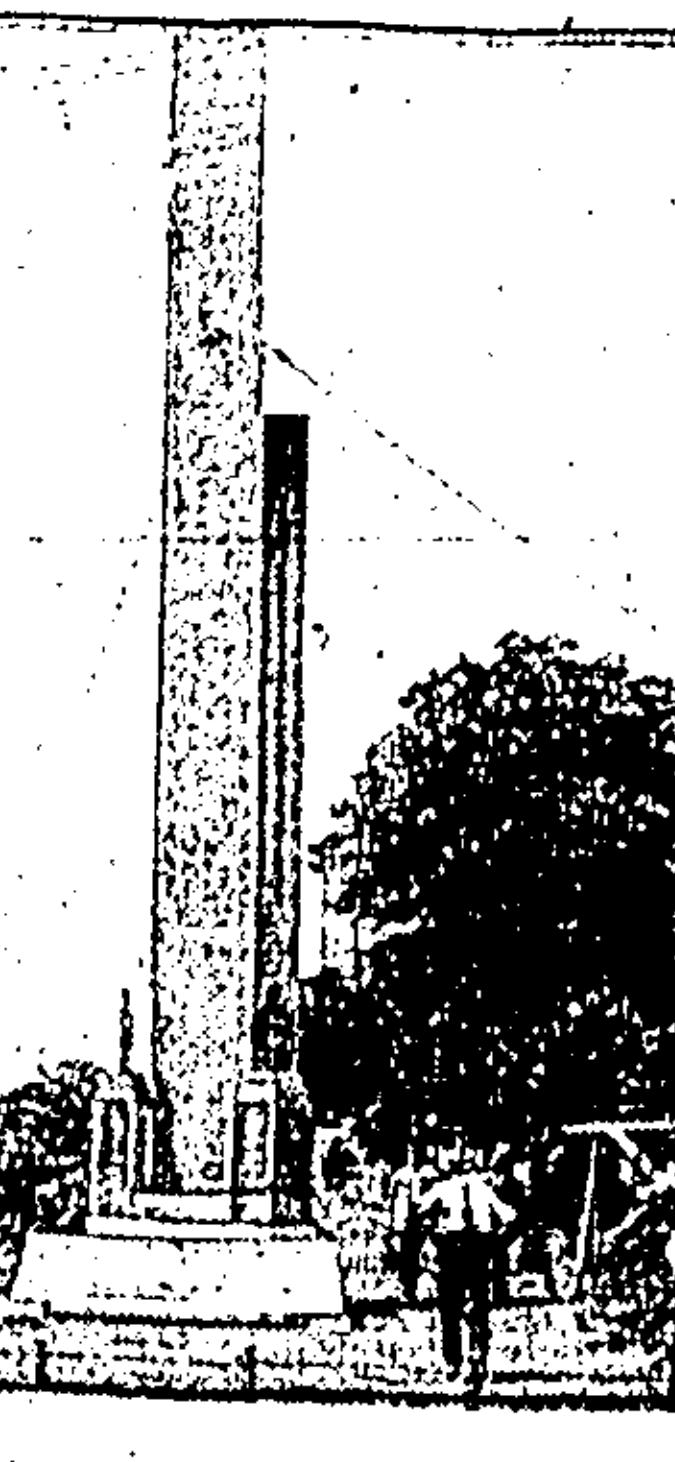
Douglas Fairbanks Junior and his wife, Joan Crawford, pictured walking in London.



Miss E. Zorarskaja, the great Russian actress, who plays the role of Aksinya in the film from Michael Sjolochoff's latest novel.



Impressive symbols of British sea power are these battleships, shown in fighting formation during fleet exercises which were witnessed by the King off Weymouth. Note the tremendous beam.



The model for the monument to the world's great inventors to be erected near the Technical Museum, Vienna.



The Casino at Monte Carlo which may have to be closed owing to lack of public support.

sant to be welcomed by fat, affable Charlie Schroeder and shown to their favourite table. It was pleasant to note the deference with which Dan was greeted.

After the food had been ordered Cherry talked of her mother's recovery. She asked questions about Dan's work and what he had been doing. She wanted to know everything that had happened in those days of separation that had seemed months.

"Same old grind," Dan told her carelessly. "I played cards a couple nights with the boys. Max came over one evening and—well, I guess that's about all. Looks as though there's going to be another investigation down at City Hall."

He went on to give her the newest development in local politics. Cherry tried to seem interested. Presently she said,

"You know, Dan, Mother and—well, Father, too—were both awfully nice about everything. They understand about us wanting to be married and they're not angry any more. Mother's going to send the car for me every day so I can go out and spend a little time with her. I'll want to until she's feeling strong again."

"Well, that's all right!"

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## LEAP YEAR BRIDE by Laura Lou BROOKMAN

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY.

Cherry Dixon, pretty 19-year-old daughter of wealthy parents, falls in love with Dan Phillips, newspaper reporter. She quarrels with her father about Dan, leaves home and, taking advantage of Leap Year, asks Dan to marry her.

They are married and for the first time Cherry receives what means to lack money. Her struggles with household are discouraging. Dixie Shannon, newspaper reporter for the News, is friendly with Cherry. She meets Pandoo Max Pearson who also works on the News.

Cherry receives a letter from her mother enclosing a cheque for \$500. She returns the cheque because pride will not let her accept it. Dan, worried about bills, undertakes to earn extra money but becomes discouraged and leaves it unfinished.

Two days later Cherry learns her mother is critically ill. Cherry goes home to her mother's bedside the father and daughter are reconciled. Mrs. Dixon passes the crisis of her illness, Cherry remains at home for several days, then one afternoon goes down town to meet Dan. She sees him with another girl and becomes angry.

### CHAPTER XXVIII

Dan and the girl in white were almost abreast of Cherry before they recognized her. Dan called out, "Hollo, Cherry. Waiting long?"

There was a bright circle of red in each of Cherry's cheeks. "Hollo," she said evenly, determined to seem as casual as he had been. "I've been here—a while. I really haven't noticed

you didn't seem to think much about me when that Connie was here!"

The slight note of frigidity was not to be missed. The other girl hesitated a moment. Then she said, "It's awfully nice to see you again. Well—I must hurry or I'll miss my bus."

She directed her smile at Dan, turned and was gone.

"Look here, Cherry, you might have been a little more cordial to old Connie!"

"Old Connie! Is that what you call her? I don't think you need to give me lessons in etiquette, Dan. She didn't even know I was talking—looking at you all the time!"

"Cherry! For Lord sake—!" She must not let him see that her lips were trembling. She must not let the tears come. To steady herself, Cherry turned away.

Dan's hand was on her arm. "Honestly, honey," he said in a softer tone. "I don't understand anything wrong. Don't

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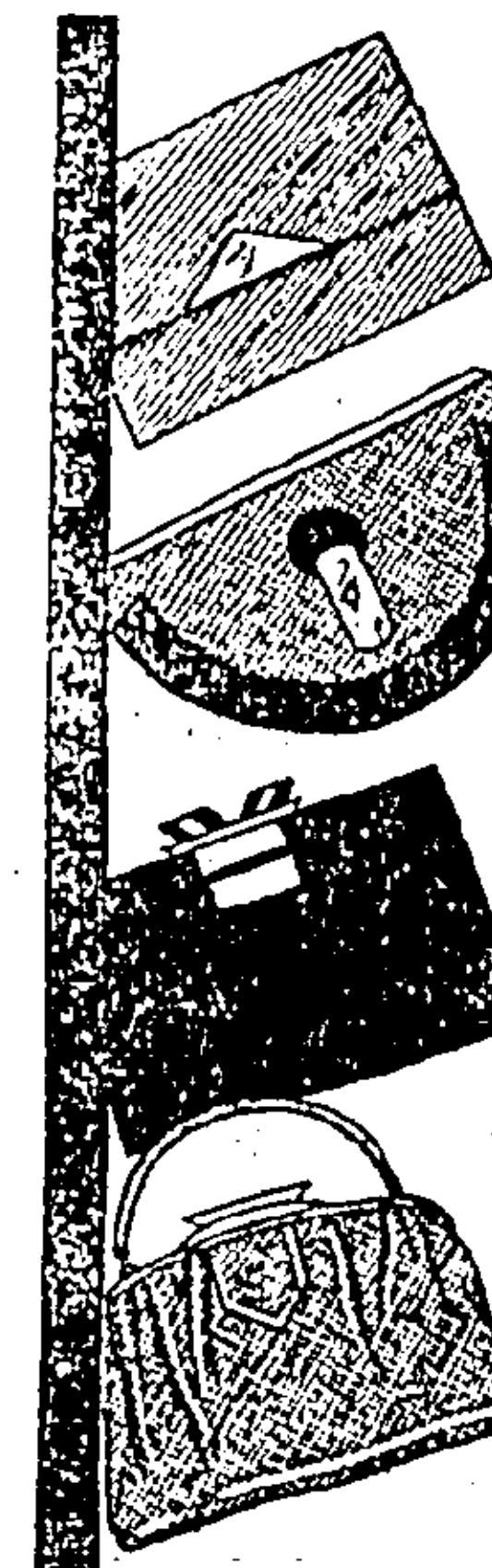
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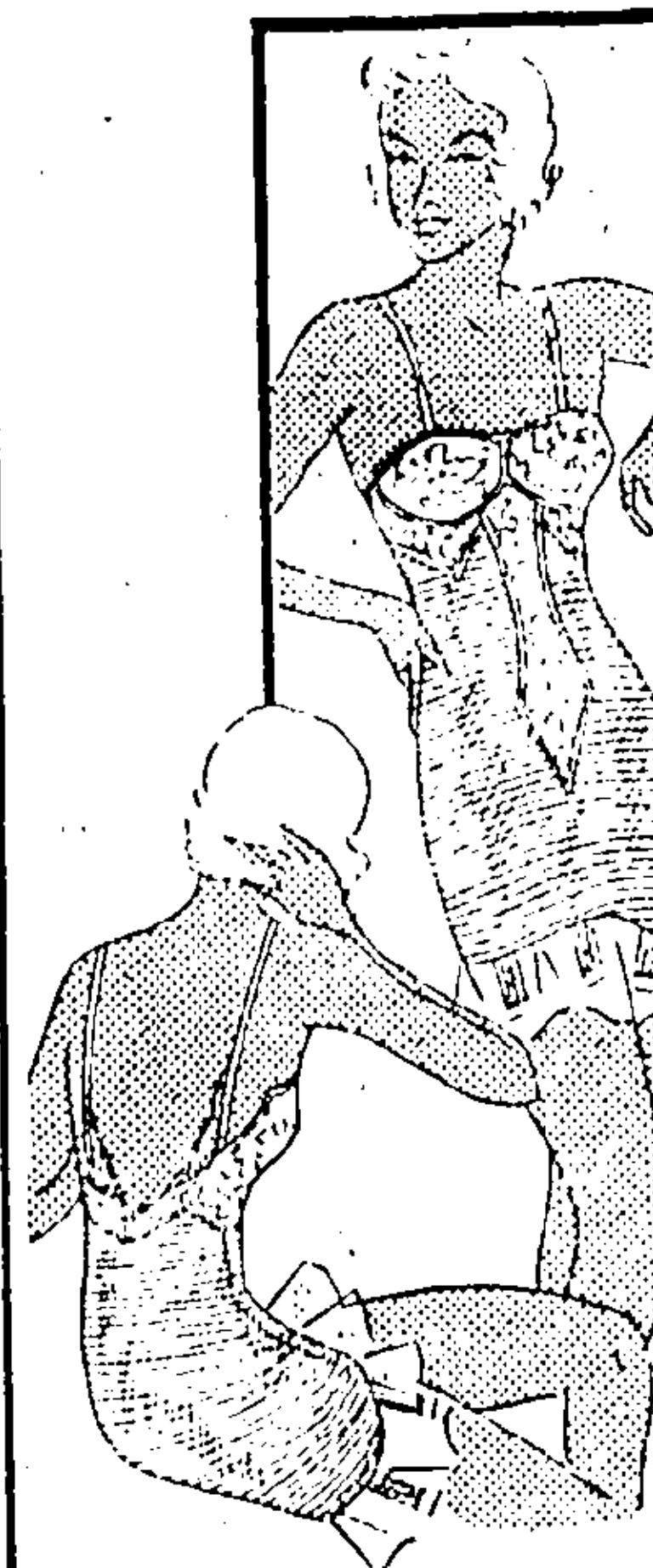
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R. M. HENDERSON,

Water Authority,  
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Hongkong, 1st September, 1932.

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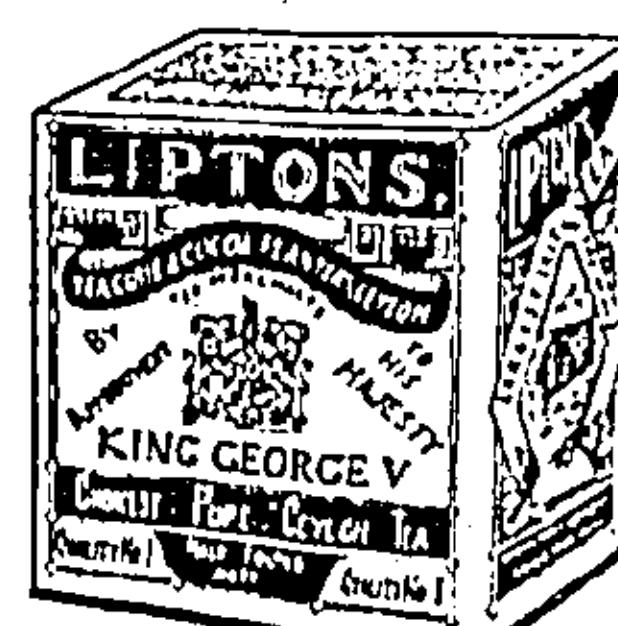
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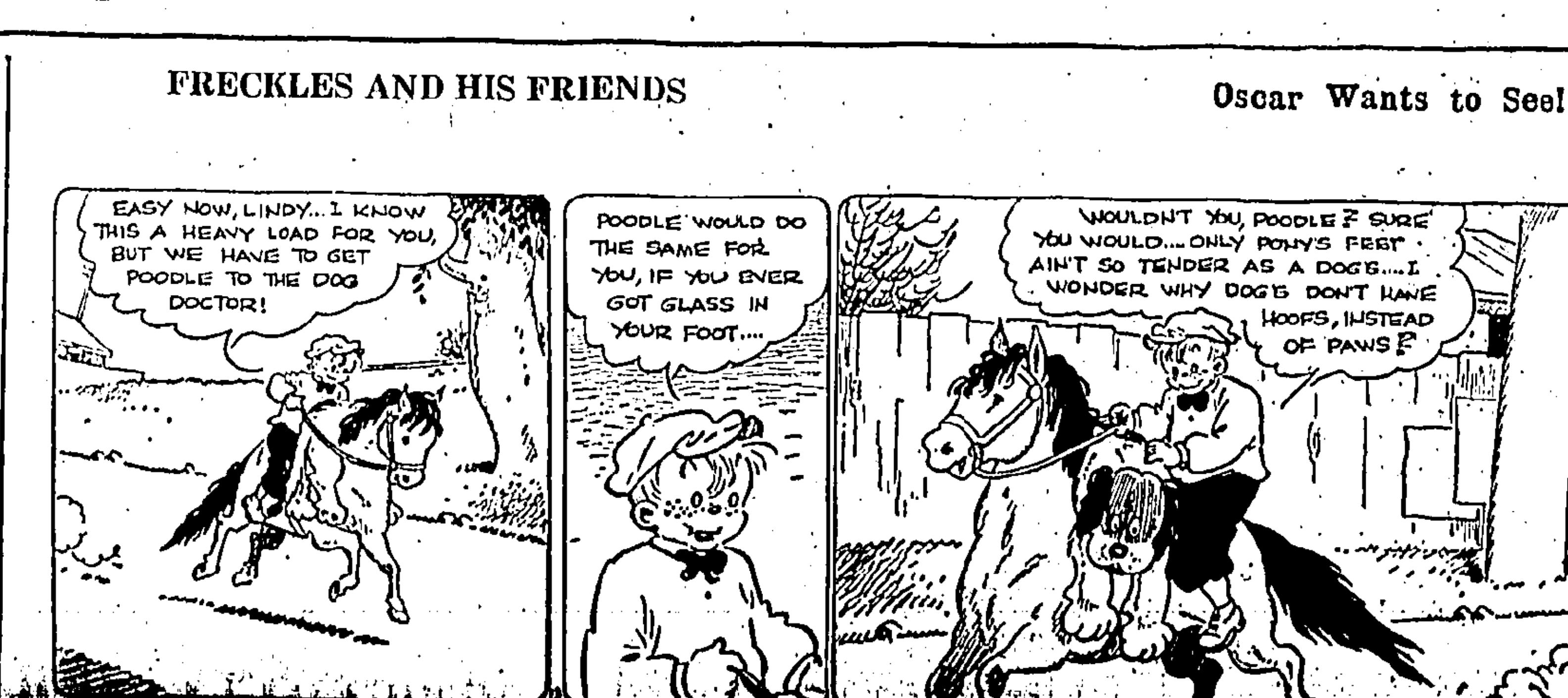
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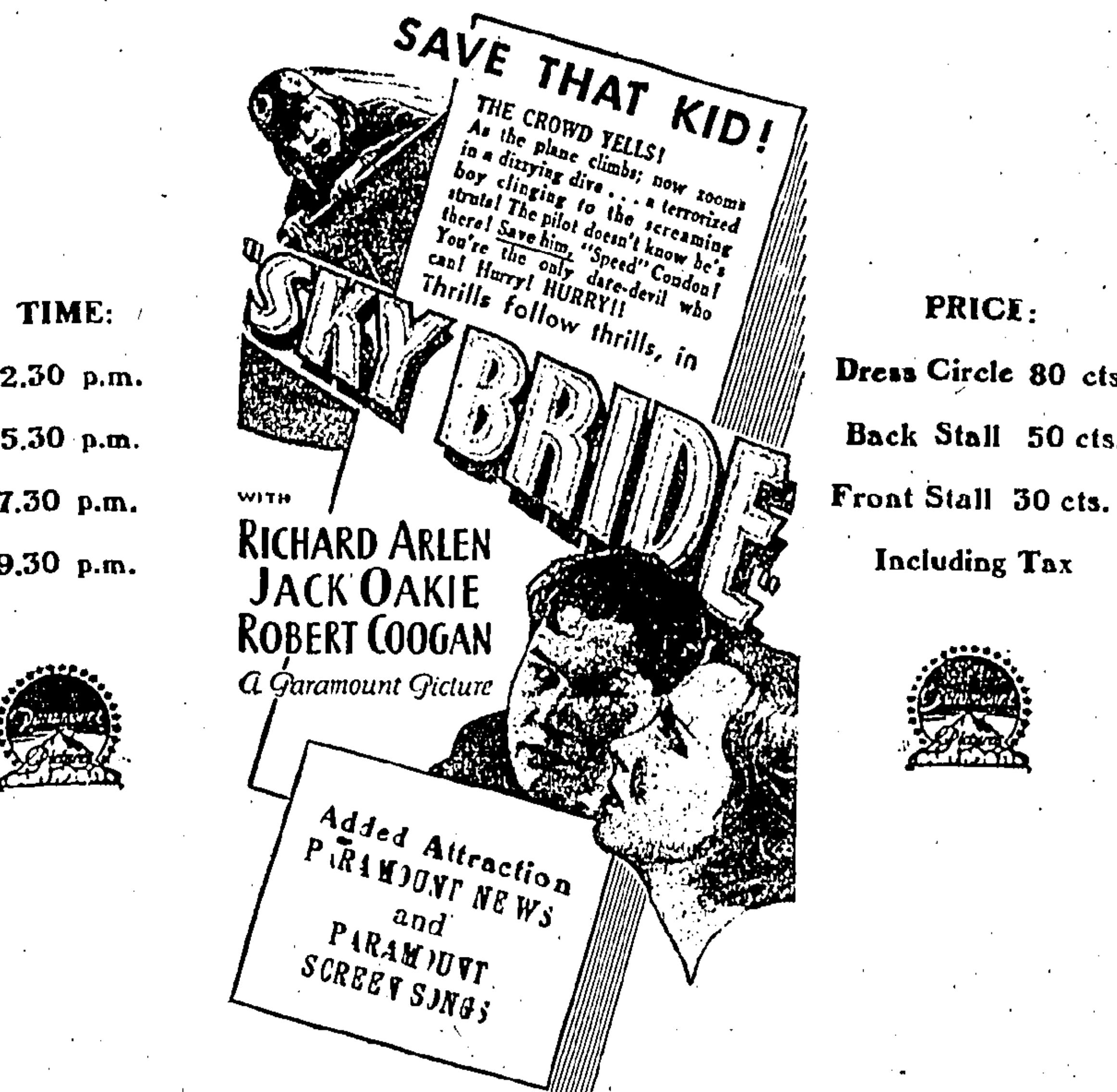
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Banks.  
Hongkong Banks, \$1580 n.  
Hongkong Lon. Reg. \$115 n.  
Chartered Banks, £13 1/4.  
Mercantile Bank, A. & B. 221 n.  
Mercantile Bank C. £9 1/2 n.  
East Asia, \$109 n.  
Am: O. Finance Corp., \$25 n.  
China O. Fin. Ord., Tls.6 n.  
China O. Fin. Prof. Tls.4.00 n.  
Insurances.  
Canton Ins., \$1410 n.  
Union Ins., \$465 b.  
China Underwriters, \$2.85 b.  
China Fire, \$620 b.  
H. K. Fire Ins., \$1200 n.  
Internation Assec. Tls. 4 n.  
Shipping.  
Douglas, \$26 n.  
H.K. Steamboats, \$22 1/2 b.  
Indo-Chinas, (Pref.) \$45 n.  
Indo-Chinas (Def.), \$32 n.  
Shell (Bearer) 50 7/12 n.  
Union Waterboats, \$20 1/2 b.  
Mining.  
Benguet, \$15 1/2 n.  
Kailan, 25/6 n.  
Langkawi (Single), Tls.4 n.  
Shai Explorations, Tls.2.10 n.  
Shai Loans, Tls.2.30 n.  
Rauba, \$40 1/2 b.  
Venz: Goldfields, \$1 1/2 n.  
Benguet Exp., 20 cts. b.  
Docks, etc.  
H.K. & K. Wharves, \$140 b.  
H.K. & W. Docks \$24 1/2 b.  
S. China Motors A., \$10 n.

S. China Motor B., \$8 n.  
Providents (old), \$1.80 b.  
Providents (new), \$2.30 n.  
Hongkew, Tls. 216 n.  
New Engineering, Tls. 5 1/4 n.  
Shanghai Docks, Tls. 87 n.

Lands, Hotels, etc.  
Hotels (old), \$10.50 n.  
Hotels (new), \$10 b.  
H.K. Lands \$76.40 n.  
Shai Lands, Tls.24 3/4 n.  
Metropolitan Lands, Tls. 10 n.  
Humphreys, \$16 b.  
H.K. Realties \$9 b.  
Asia Realties "A", \$155 n.  
Asia Realties "B", \$26 1/4 n.  
Chinese Estates, \$106 n.  
China Realties, Tls. 11.10 n.  
China Debentures Tls. 96 1/2 n.

Cottons.  
Ewo Cottons, Tls. 14.40 n.  
Shai Cottons, Tls. 65 1/2 n.  
Zong Sings, Tls. 11.10 n.  
Wing On Textiles (S.) \$140 n.

Public Utilities.  
Tramways, \$22.10 n.  
Peak Trams (old), \$16 n.  
Peak Trams (new), \$7 1/2 b.  
Star Ferries, \$92 n.

Yaumati Ferries (old), \$35 b.  
Yaumati Ferries (new), \$34 b.  
China Lights (old), \$17.10 n.  
China Lights (new), \$16 1/4 n.  
H.K. Electrics, \$74 1/2 n.  
Macro Electrics, \$24 n.  
Sandakan Lights, \$12 n.  
Telephones (F.P.), \$28 n.  
Telephones (F.P.), \$23.10 n.  
China Buses, Tls.12 n.  
Singapore Traction, 2/- n.  
Singapore Pref. 14/- n.

Industrials.  
Malabon Sugars, \$25 b.  
Cald: Macg. (Ord.), Tls.14 n.  
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), Tls.10 3/4 n.  
Canton Ices, \$5 1/2 n.  
Cements (com.), \$13.30 n.  
Cements (old), \$9 1/2 n.  
Cements (new), \$3 1/2 n.  
H.K. Ropes, \$12.40 n.  
Agriculturals, \$10 1/2 n.  
Stores, etc.

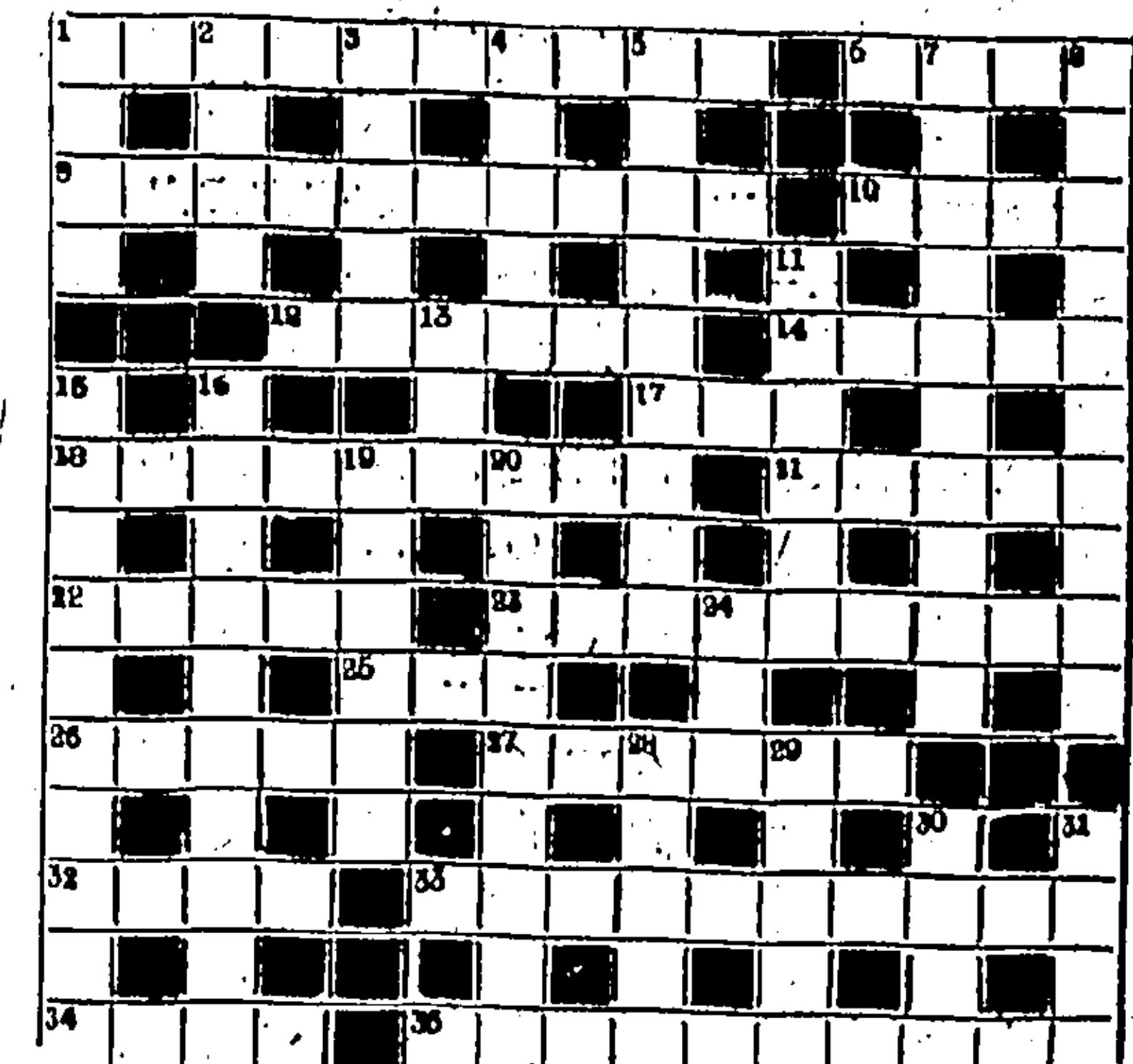
Dairy Farms, \$28 n.  
Watsons (old), \$13 n.  
Watsons (new), \$12.50 n.  
Der. A. Wings, \$1 n.  
Lane Crawford, \$5.25 b.  
Mackintoshos, \$21 n.  
Sinceros, \$16 n.

Wm. Powells, \$3.35 n.  
Wing On (H. K.), \$265 n.  
Miscellaneous.  
Amusements, \$19 3/4 b.  
Entertainments, \$13 1/2 n.  
S. C. Enterprises, \$3 1/2 n.  
United Theatres Tls. 6 n.  
Macao "Greyhounds", \$10 n.

Constructions (old), \$6.80 n.  
Constructions (new), \$1.70 n.  
B. Ind. G. S. Bonds, \$60% n.  
H.K. Govt. Loans, 3% Pre. sa.  
Wallace Harpers, \$12.90 n.  
China Sports 1 1/4. \$10 n.

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- 1 A matter of mutual modification.
- 5 "Parch peas" (anag.).
- 6 Precious stone.
- 8 Town of the U.S.A.
- 11 Cupid, perhaps.
- 13 "and tell" stories of the death of Kings" ("Richard 11").
- 15 Banter.
- 16 The same as 13 down.
- 19 Natural.
- 20 I'm in a race to cause some liveliness.
- 24 Mineral.
- 28 Tree.
- 29 One of a vessel's spars.
- 30 What does the sailor fear in the sea but find useful in a gale?
- 31 What Adam did was poetically terrible.

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Stobbs Road Happy Valley**DEATH.**NG QUINN.—Mrs. T. Ng Quinn of 5,  
Arbutinot Road passed away  
this morning at 11.30 a.m. at No.  
3, Po Shan Road, aged 78 years.  
Tientsin, Peking and Shanghai  
papers please copy.**The  
Hongkong Telegraph.**

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1932.

**WORLD'S NEEDS**

Not much has been heard so far in the U.S. Presidential election campaign on the question of war debts, but the time will come when the United States will find it necessary to state its attitude clearly and without ambiguity of any kind. There are indications that the Republicans would favour some sort of bargain with America's debtors, especially along the lines of opening up channels for more trade with Europe. The reactions of the European Powers to this idea have not yet been disclosed. The Democrats, on the other hand, do not appear disposed to make any concessions on the matter, but their policy might possibly undergo some change if they came into power.

In the meantime, there are still many other issues standing in the way of world economic recovery. The agreement reached at Lausanne, carrying with it the wiping out of reparations, is but a beginning in clearing away the wreckage of folly and narrow nationalism. We ought not to allow it to be used to divert attention from other urgent problems. There are essential "next steps," and these must include a courageous attack upon the barriers to world trade and a cut in world armaments. Tariffs continue to strangle international trade, and the heavy burden of armaments is crushing the nations. All political parties in England were agreed that reparations must be ended. But the same measure of unanimity is lacking on the other problems. The Hoover Disarmament Plan represents the minimum of what should result from the Geneva Conference. At least it would afford a definite measure of disarmament in our time. Disarmament is the key that will open the door to international economic cooperation and the recovery of world prosperity, but rejection of the Hoover Plan would be small encouragement to the United States to play her part in carrying through to completion the work begun.

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at Lausanne. Before that Conference, reparations were already ended in fact. Nobody imagined for a moment that there would be a resumption of payments. The Lausanne Conference recognised the inevitable and formally and officially registered "finis." This was all to the good, for it removed one of the factors most disturbing in Franco-German relations and most damaging to world economic well-being. The fact that such a decision should have proved inescapable casts doubts on the wisdom of the advice given by bankers, financiers and national leaders fourteen years ago. The world has paid a very heavy price for this particular piece of folly.

The Lausanne delegates did the right thing with regard to reparations under the pressure of bitter experience. The lesson can be applied. The peoples of the world want neither tariff wars nor military wars, and they demand the removal both of the conditions which produce, and the mechanism which is employed to wage such wars. Then the world will live a stable life upon which to pursue its constructive activities.

**Egypt Watches the League.**

Egyptian newspapers have had a great deal to say about Turkey's admission to the League of Nations. The event has apparently given great satisfaction to the people of the Land of the Pharaohs, and it can be safely said that Egypt is really looking on with somewhat envious eyes for she, too, would like to join the League. The question of Egypt's admission as a Member State is, however, bound up with a treaty agreement with Great Britain. In the abortive treaty with Great Britain, one of the clauses stipulated that Egypt was to be admitted to the League. It is rumoured that Egypt is eager to re-open negotiations with the British Government but at the moment the Cabinet has its hands too full with other affairs—disarmament, Ottawa, Ireland and India, to name but the more outstanding issues and until they are out of the way or are less pressing, it is not inclined to commence an Egyptian Conference. Egypt must, therefore, content herself, for the time being, with applying next year for admission to the International Labour Organisation of the League of Nations which she could do without waiting for her political differences with Britain to be settled. It may be remembered that Egypt was this summer represented for the first time at the I.L.O. Conference by an observer. She is, of course, represented at the World Disarmament Conference and also takes an active part in the work of the League's Opium Committee. She has benefited considerably from the work of the I.L.O., for as the result of an application for advice which she made to the International Labour Organisation, Mr. H. B. Butler, then Deputy Director of the Office, was sent to Egypt last year to advise the Government on the creation of a Ministry of Labour, the need for which has long been obvious.

**VICTIM OF SHIP  
BRAWL****DIES AFTER RELEASE  
FROM HOSPITAL**

A fatality has resulted from the incident occurring on board the J.C.J.L. Tjisdanji in harbour last week, when a number of Chinese emigrants, returning to their homes in Fukien from the Dutch East Indies, engaged in a brawl, and one of them was seriously stabbed.

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**DAY BY DAY**ENGLISH PEOPLE LOOK UPON  
PARADISE AS A BRITISH POSSESSION.  
Max O'Rell.

One case of cholera from Kowloon was reported to the health authorities on Tuesday.

It is understood that the Budget will be introduced in Council on Thursday, September 16.

The local offices of Messrs. Thos. Cook and Son have received a cable advice to the effect that the Siberian railway route via Harbin is now again in operation.

A new addition to the staff of the Diocesan Boys' School is Mr. D. I. Lunard, who arrives here in October. Educated at Tonbridge and Lincoln College, Oxford, he has a good degree in Classics and English, and has latterly been on the staff of Sherborne School. In addition, Mr. E. G. Thomas is returning from leave, while Mr. A. G. F. Prew, an old boy of the School, is joining the staff with added qualifications and experience after study in America.

A coolie was stopped at Shumshui po yesterday carrying two sacks found to contain a quantity of chlorate of potash. He was charged before Mr. Fraser at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning with being in possession of this chemical without a label in English and Chinese. He pleaded ignorance, saying he was asked to carry it to the Yaumati Ferry Wharf. At the Kowloon Magistracy to-day, the police applied for a remand, intimating that a summons would be taken out against the owners of a warehouse by whom defendant was employed. The case was accordingly remanded until Saturday morning.

**WATER LEVELS.****WEST NORTH AND EAST  
RIVERS**

The following table issued by the Kwangtung River Conservancy Commission shows the height of water English feet on the dates named in the West, North and East Rivers: Highest on record. Lowest Aug. Aug. record. on record. 30. 31.

West River at Shihching	141.7	0	18.1	17.5
North River at Taiping	141.7	0	9.7	9.6
North River at Shihching	127.3	6.3	10.6	11.1
East River at Shihching	145.6	2.6	13.1	13.6

**SUGAR MARKET****THE LATEST CABLED  
QUOTATION**

The following cable at the close of the sugar market yesterday has been received by Messrs. Pentreath and Co.

**London Terminals.**

December 1932 6/5 down 1/4d  
March 1933 6/7 1/4 down 1/2d  
May 1933 6/8 1/4 no change  
August 1933 6/10 1/2 down 1/2d  
Buyers at above prices, sellers asking 1/4d-1/2d more.

**New York Terminals.**

September 1932 1.09 down 5 pts.  
December 1932 1.14 down 2 pts.  
March 1933 1.10 down 2 pts.  
May 1933 1.13 down 2 pts.  
July 1933 —



"Yes, we had a terrible bust-up. She wouldn't even come around to say more if I didn't make the best pineapple."

**THE TRIUMPH OF  
M. HERRIOT**

By G. A. MARTELLI

POLITICAL NOMENCLATURE is often misleading. In the course of time the names of parties cease to indicate the ideas they have come to stand for and the position they now occupy in the Parliamentary scale. M. Herriot's new Radical Ministry is an example; its label suggests Phrygian caps and black-bearded fiery Jacobins, addressing each other as citizen.

The reality is rather different. The Radicals have become respectable—or at least comparatively respectable. Like an elderly Labour leader converted to patriotism the adventurous days of the party are past. The growth of modern Socialism and the creation of a more revolutionary party than themselves has had the effect of relegating the Radicals to the centre and altering their role from that of prod to brake.

There are many good stories of M. Painleve's absent-mindedness, but I think the best is about an experience he had as Minister of War. Having to go out of the Ministry on some business, M. Painleve pinned a notice to the outside of his door saying: "Back in half an hour." Some time after he returned and still meditating deeply on some philosophic matter arrived before his office and read the notice. "Oh well, I'll wait," he said to himself and sat down on the bench in the corridor. He was discovered there some time afterwards when a number of people arrived for an interview with the Minister.

M. Painleve is invariably late on all occasions and holds the long-distance record for Cabinet making, having sat through a whole night and the forenoon of the next day without succeeding in constituting a Ministry.

Of quite a different stamp is M. Camille Chautemps, Minister of the Interior, former President of the Radical Party and a four days' Prime Minister. Tall and spare with a pale ascetic face, M. Chautemps is the typical rather colourless intellectual lawyer who, by sheer ability and hard work, brings himself to the front. Like M. Poincaré he is neither an inspiring orator nor a magnetic leader, his prestige is built on honesty and political competence; he has done admirable service in keeping his party united through the trials and tribulations of opposition, and would have made an excellent administrator or diplomat.

M. Georges Leygues, Minister of Marine, the fourth ex-Premier of the Cabinet, has held his present portfolio so long and so often that he has taken on almost a nautical air, and with his long drooping moustache and ruddy complexion might pass for a French admiral in *retirage*. He is the only member of the Government recruited from the Left Republicans, the party of M. Tardieu, whom he has never forgiven for dropping him overboard during the London Naval Conference.

The element of staidness is not lacking in the rest of the Cabinet, in such members of it as M. Albert Sarraut, the King of Toulouse and the Midi, who might have been Premier but for his unimposing exterior; M. Paul Boncour, the brilliant ex-Socialist lawyer, frequently spoken of as future Prime Minister; M. Germain Martin, the financial expert who has been brought in to reduce expenditure; M. Gardy, another right-wing man. The inclusion of that explosive little Meridional M. Daladier is in fact an exception which only proves the rule that the Cabinet is respectable—too much so for most of its supporters.

**THE ADJECTIVE EVIL**By Edward Kelly, *Wowsa!*  
Congratulate Us.

We have been appointed President of the Society for the Suppression of Swearing and Pyjama Parties.

Conscious as we are of the magnitude of the work that lies before us, we unflinchingly face our task. One of the first matters we will discuss will be a proposal that girls be prohibited from going in for open air sports.

The loose leaf system, which is said to have been the origin of sin, must be abolished, and nobody's breath shall, in future, come in short pants.

The corruption of our language is a subject that must be gone into thoroughly. Several widely used and revolting expressions have already been placed on our Index. Shing Mun Dam, must, in future, be referred to as Shing Mun Dash.

Much concern has been expressed by our Committee at the continued use of the word "blasting" in connexion with road work in the Colony. We hope to abolish all blasting within the next six months.

Motorists, when drawing up to a bower for benzine, are requested to pronounce the word "Shell" with the last four letters silent, as in "Paradise." The ex-

## WORLD PHONE SERVICE

HONGKONG STILL HOPING

## PRESENT POSITION

The possibility of Hongkong being linked with the world's most important cities by wireless telephony—a possibility which was hinted at 18 months ago at the annual meeting of the Hongkong Telephone Company, is still likely to materialise.

Mr. J. P. Sherry, manager of the Telephone Company this morning told the *Telegraph* that he is in communication with the Imperial International Communications, Ltd., the concern which is keenly interested in world-telephony, and in addition there is the scheme of the Chinese Government for the establishment of a series of stations in China, which, if it comes to fruition, will provide Hongkong with an alternative opportunity of linking itself up with the rest of the world.

A representative of the Imperial Communications visited Hongkong in January, 1931, when Mr. Sherry interviewed him and explained the interest which Hongkong had in the Company's project.

## AWAITING REPLY.

In November last, Mr. Sherry wrote to the Imperial International Communications on the subject, not having heard anything more from them, and they replied stating that the plans of the Company, which had been made part of a general scheme, had been submitted to the various authorities (presumably the Government), but were not yet concluded in detail.

The hope was then expressed that additional information and the probable dates of the inauguration of the service would be available within a short time, but as nothing more had been heard, Mr. Sherry wrote again last month, and he is now awaiting a reply.

But should this particular scheme fall through, Hongkong has an alternative on which to rely. The Chinese Government has announced its intention to establish a series of stations throughout China, including Canton and Shanghai, and Mr. Sherry pointed out, the project would be of great assistance to Hongkong in that they had already laid the trunk cable through to Canton.

## THE OUTLOOK.

The erection of national stations, including one at Canton, and an international station at Shanghai, would ensure Hongkong getting into wireless telephonic communication with any part of the world.

Mr. Sherry expressed the view that it is doubtful whether the Imperial International Communications' scheme will be completed in less than two years, whilst recent reports indicate that there had been a slight hitch in the Chinese Government project.

## TYPHOON, FLOOD, CHOLERA

## FOOCHOW FACES TROUBLES

Foochow, Aug. 27. Cholera, typhoon, flood—this briefly describes the history of Foochow for the last few weeks. On Wednesday, 24th inst, the barometer began to fall rapidly, and between the evening of the 24th and noon on the 25th it fell at least four-tenths of an inch. The wind increased in intensity and veered round from North to Northwest and then to West with the result that considerable damage was done to house property.

It was still blowing strong the night of Thursday (25th) although the barometer had recovered most of the ground it had lost, and on Friday it was blowing strong from the east and southeast. Since then the rain has been incessant, and a large part of the Foochow plain is flooded to quite a depth. No doubt the water will continue to rise, as there must have been a heavy rainfall up country. It is to be hoped that the wind, rain, and cooler air will effectually drive away the last remnant of the cholera.

The air is still thick with rumours of impending changes in the personnel of the Provincial Government, and it will be almost a comfort when the changes actually take place, if they are to take place. Meantime both governors and governed are in a state of uncertainty which is not

## INDIAN DEFENCE PROBLEMS

## TRIBUNAL TO MAKE REPORT

London, Aug. 31. His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom, in agreement with the Government of India, has decided to set up a tribunal to deal with the following points:

(1) To consider and report whether, and, if so, on what, basis there should continue to be contributions by India towards the recruiting and training expenses at home of the British Army in India.

(2) To examine India's claim that a contribution should be made from Imperial revenues towards military expenditure from Indian revenues.

(3) To examine the War Office claim that India should pay a direct contribution towards the cost of the regular and supplementary reserves.

(4) To consider whether the sea transport contribution paid by the War Office to India should be continued or modified after 31st March, 1932.

(5) To examine and report *mutatis mutandis* on such of the questions raised in the preceding paragraphs as are relevant to the contribution at present paid from India in respect of the Royal Air Force personnel in India.

Sir Robert Garman, lately Solicitor-General to the Commonwealth Government of Australia, will act as Chairman. Associated with him will be Lord Tomlin and Lord Dunedin, nominated by His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom, and Sir Shadi Lal and Sir Muhammad Salaiman, nominated by the Government of India.

The proceedings of the tribunal will be confidential, and its report, which is to be made to the Prime Minister, will be advisory. Its recommendations will therefore not be binding on either Government.

Arrangements are being made for the tribunal to assemble in London early in November. British Wireless.

## ATHLETICS SURRENDER TO DETROIT

## Unable to Withstand Big Hitting

New York, Aug. 31. The Athletics to-day dropped another peg in the last-minute effort to challenge the Yankees for the American League pennant. Hoagett (Detroit) twice hit their pitchers for home runs and Gehringen emulated his colleague.

In the National, Koenig and Cayler hit for the circuit to give Chicago a 10-9 victory over the Giants, while Brooklyn took a double header from Cincinnati after a terrific nightcap contest in which thirty-four hits and 21 runs were registered. Pittsburgh held on to second place, defeating Boston 2-1. Traynor scored the winning run, a homer. Results:

## NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago	10	19	2
New York	9	16	0
Cincinnati	1	4	1
Brooklyn	7	14	0
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Brooklyn	11	19	2
Pittsburgh	2	7	1
Boston	1	7	0

## AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Philadelphia	4	12	0
Detroit	5	10	1
Washington	7	12	0
St. Louis	6	8	6

—Renter.

## WRECK OF BRIG ROMANCE

## SUNKEN TREASURE LURES SALVAGERS

Once more the English brig De Brauke, which sank off the Delaware Capes in 1798, is the inspiration of salvaging parties lured by the cargo of alleged gold and silver bullion now lying on the bottom of the bay off Cape Henlopen.

Representatives of a salvaging party, said to be from Baltimore, have arrived in Lower. They brought with them maps and charts indicating the spot where the De Brauke was supposed to have sunk. They also brought with them documents obtained from England regarding the ship's history and cargo, estimated to be worth £10,000,000 in treasure, pirated from two Spanish galleons, one of which sank with the brig.

The documents show that the brig went down in 74 feet of water about one mile out in the bay.

## TAIPEI THEATRE RE-OPENS

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## GOOD EQUIPMENT

With accommodation for 2,000 and boasting splendid acoustic properties the reconstructed Taipeh Theatre yesterday re-opened as a medium for public entertainment.

In addition to its very modern improvements, the theatre is following a policy of offering to its patrons first showings of Paramount and other pictures, and, situated as it is, in the populous district of West Point, there is no doubt that it will provide a much-felt want in the way of cinema entertainment.

The comfort of patrons has not been lost sight of in the effort to provide for enjoyable entertainment. The seating is comfortable, the theatre well ventilated, it allows excellent vision of the screen from all parts of the building, and is, in every respect, a pleasant place to relax from the daily worries.

Excellent machinery has been installed, the Western Electric sound equipment being used, as well as the Simplex projector and Dallmeyer's Sup-Lite lenses.

"Sky Bride," a Paramount picture, is being shown. It features Richard Arlen, Jack Oakie and Robert Coogan in several thousand scenes of thrill, and is fast and sensational entertainment. As with all Paramount films, photography reaches a high standard and little fault will be found with the acting. The aerial sequences are given bold treatment, quickening the interest of the audience until the dramatic climax is advised.

Performances are given at 2.30, 5.30, 7.30 and 9.30 each day, and prices are exceptionally low and popular, the dress circle being 80 cents, back stalls 50 cents and front stalls 30 cents including tax.

## N.Y. SCANDALS

## WALKER MAY STAND FOR GOVERNOR

New York, Aug. 1. A new trial balloon having to do with the political fortunes of Mayor James J. Walker, under charges for misuse of his office and whose removal is sought by citizen groups, is aloft today. On it is emblazoned "Walker for Governor."

Its ascension follows reports in informed quarters here that if Gov. Franklin D. Roosevelt removes the Mayor from the charges now before him, Mr. Walker will seek vindication at the polls, running as Democratic candidate for Governor of the Empire State. Persons close to the Mayor said he was confident of the support of Tammany should he seek the nomination.

This is the third Walker trial balloon to go up this year. The two previous ones were punctured immediately, the first being for Mr. Walker for Vice-President; the second bringing him forward to run for the United States Senatorial seat to succeed Senator Robert F. Wagner. Little notice was taken of the former flight, and the latter was shot down immediately by strong criticism.

The feeling among Democrats generally here is that this is not the time to launch booms for Mayor Walker for some elective office. Those observers hold that the present cue is for circumspection and watchful waiting until Governor Roosevelt has acted in case now before him. Action in this connexion is expected in a fortnight or three weeks.

Meanwhile the Walker case stands decidedly in the column of decisions first to be attended to on the Governor's calendar. He will have on Wednesday a rebuttal by Judge Samuel Seabury, chief counsel of the legislative inquiry into the Walker-Tammany Mayoralty out of which the ouster charges grew, to the Mayor's answer. In a letter to the Governor, Judge Seabury said he desired to respond to several points in the Mayor's written defense, closing with the assurance that he would not delay in the matter. The Governor telegraphed that he would await Judge Seabury's reply.

The fact that inquiry counsel intends to dispute certain assertions in the Mayor's defence will, it is believed, of necessity prolong consideration of the case, particularly in view of the fact that it may lead the Mayor to offer a rebuttal.

The salvagers already have ascertained that the present depth is now about 80 feet. Mr. Robertson voiced the belief that the brig is still in good condition, as the documents show it was built of teakwood, considered almost in-

## WORLD TRADE SLUMP.

## BRITISH ECONOMIST ON CAUSES

Gold shortage and misdistribution play a far smaller part in the current breakdown of price levels than is generally supposed, Prof. T. E. Gregory of the London School of Economics told the Institute of Politics at Williams College, at the beginning of August.

There is no reason for alarm because absolute gold production falls behind its past ratio to output of goods and services, he assured members of his round table on the present position of the credit problem.

Professor Gregory made it clear that gold, currency based upon it, or other metals, and all other material tools of industry are powerless themselves to keep business on the track. The volume of purchasing power due to possession of money or credit has in many instances, he held, remained constant, while prices and industrial activity suffered catastrophic declines.

Professor Gregory said that since 1929 the volume of currency and bank deposits has remained almost at a level in Great Britain, yet during this period prices have fallen from 30 to 50 per cent in common with those of other countries. Similar situations, he said, exist on the Continent.

In America, he pointed out, the connexion between lessened purchasing power and price declines is more marked; widespread bank failures have wiped out buying power in large blocks.

But here, as overseas, the chief hindrance to industrial activity he explained, is unwillingness of those with money, or credit, to use them—in other words, hoarding, against which everyone is advised.

While admitting this to be the chief brake on industry, and that it cannot be changed merely by increasing the means of distribution, Professor Gregory approved the forthcoming issuance of more currency by the Federal Reserve System. More money may simply mean more to hoard, but it also helps to restore confidence, he explained.

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## SWIMMING

## Y.M.C.A. WIN TRIANGULAR CONTEST

## SHANGHAI FANS WITNESS KEEN STRUGGLE

## WINNERS' BIG HANDICAP

Shanghai, Aug. 26. The Foreign Y.M.C.A. ran out winners over the U.S. Marines in the triangular swimming contest that was held at the Rowing Club last night, scoring 36 points to their opponent's 31, while the Rowing Club aggregation only put up 27 points. A fairly good crowd of spectators was present despite the weather and some keen racing was witnessed. A feature of the swimming was the absence of C. H. Raven and despite this loss the Foreign Y.M.C.A. were able to win, scoring in the longer distances where young Jack Doughty shone.

In the Breast Stroke Otto Hagenstein was to the fore with his good swimming though Helmut Aust gave him a good race. The two were even for the first two lengths and then in the last Hagenstein went away. Duell, the Marine star, came up to give Aust a hard struggle, but the latter held his second place.

In the 50 yards sprint, Bobbie Richards proved himself no mean exponent and swam away from the opposition to win. Neither C. N. Brown or C. H. Raven were represented. The time was fairly good. The 100 yards free style saw Charlie Brown at his best and his 61 secs. gave a good indication as to what he will do in the championship.

The two relays were hard and close and both showed good competition. The Foreign Y.M.C.A. won the straight relay while in the medley they were beaten by the Marines. The programme was concluded by a water polo match.

## RELAY RACE.

1.—Foreign Y.M.C.A. (D. L. Raeburn, F. Harris, R. Dodd, J. Doughty, Jr.).

2.—U.S. Marines (Gill, Moran, Case and Leonard).

3.—Rowing Club (Donnelley, Richards, Fyfe, and Spottiswoode).

## 100 YARDS BREAST STROKE.

1. O. Hagenstein, 2. H. Aust, 3. R. R. Duell. Time 82-1/5 secs.

## 50 YARDS DASH.

1. R. N. Richards, 2. R. Dodd, 3. Leonard. Time 27-1/5 secs.

## 200 YARDS SWIM.

1. C. J. Doughty, Jr., 2. L. A. Chapin. Time 2 min. 55-4/5 secs.

## 100 YARDS BACK STROKE.

1. C. H. Raven, 2. R. Purches, 3. A. Wagstaff. Time 78-4/5 secs.

## FANCY DIVING.

1. R. R. Duell, 2. V. Hamill, 3. Miss V. Prince.

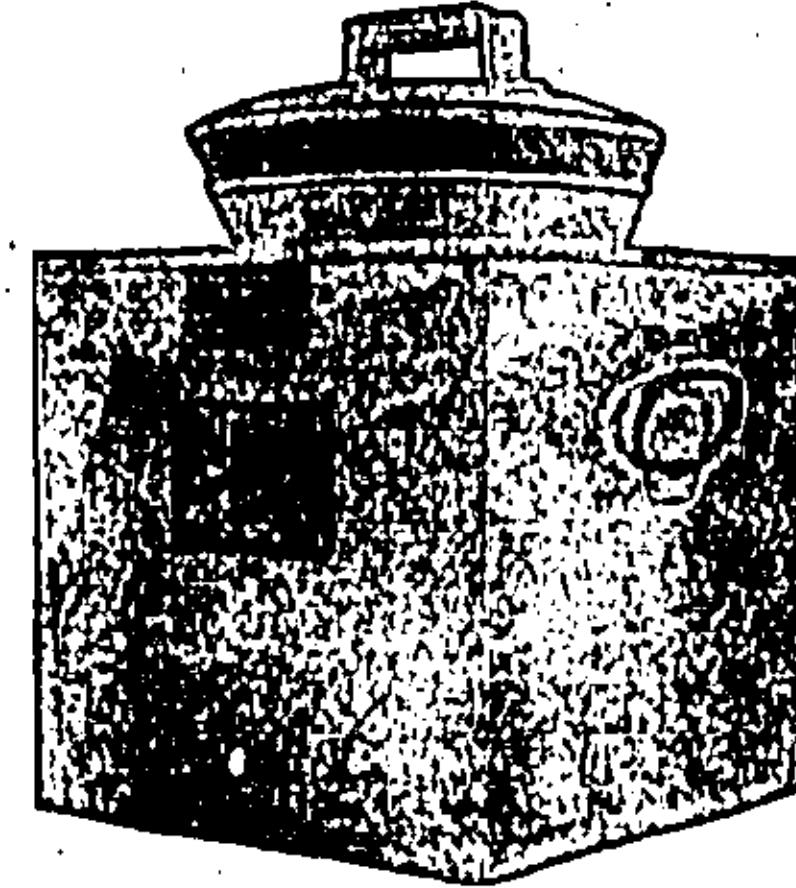
## 100 YARDS SWIM.

1. C. N. Brown, 2. F. Harris, 3. W. Moran. Time 61 secs.

## 300 YARDS MEDLEY RELAY.

1. U.S.M.C. (Purches, Duell Gill), 2. Rowing Club (Brown, Aust, Spottiswoode). 3. Foreign Y.M.C.A. (Hagenstein, McAllister, Doughty). Time 63 seconds.

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## A GOLFER'S ADVICE TO HIS SON.

## (Blank Verse Being Considered Most Suitable for Golfing Poetry.)

Here on the tee you stand with mind serene,

Heeding not the crowd who wait,

Whose scarce suppressed murmurs reach your ear.

But wait till the way be truly clear.

Before you lies a clean, white ball, low on tee.

Nestled close to mat or grass,

Where the club head, resting,

Meets it fair and true; not perch-

ed on high.

As though o'er eager,

Impatient for its too heavenly flight.

At last the signal given, the way is clear.

Fingers lightly gripping, thumb by palms overlapped.

Ball twice feet outplaced on steady ground,

All thoughts must fly now from the mind

Save one, that the swing be slow and true.

With hips slight turned, the left arm guiding,

The upward path begins, and

With scarce a pause

The same down path descends.

With this smooth swing, weight slightly shifting forwards

Eve on ball must ever rest.

The club head leads and hands will follow,

No sudden jab to mar its flight;

No press or hurry check the follow through:

Heed not your partner's distance nor the straining crowd behind.

Alone the shot and timing can your mind engage.

The same for irons.

Should you feel their neck round your neck winding

Restrain ambition. Ease the back swing,

Check the follow through to where,

Posed and steady your arms point out the hole.

Scoop out your mashie, hit under clean and firm,

And play each time for holing out.

Grasp your putter firmly, rocking little how to stand.

Comfort and custom be your watchword,

But always "stroke" a putt,

No idle stab, but one long follow on

As though directed by it.

The ball will trickle down the hole.

Practice till all comes automatic,

This show no pressing game and then

My son, you're near to being a bogey man.

## FRANCE SATISFIED

## SPORTS FEDERATION PRAISES U.S. SPORTSMANSHIP

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**LEAP YEAR BRIDE**

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Cherry hesitated. "I was thinking," she went on, "that it would be nice if you'd come with me some time."

"Cherry, you know I can't do that!"

"Oh, I know you couldn't during the week but on Sunday or some evening—"

Phillips' chin was set in a hard line. "I can't go Sunday or any time," he said sharply. "Your father asked me to leave his house. I can't go into it—and I won't—until he asks me to come. You can go there as often as you please but you'll have to go alone!"

"But, Dan—"

"There's no use talking about it, Cherry. That's the way I feel and I won't change my mind. If your father wants me to come he can ask me."

The girl sat silent. It was no use; when Dan took that tone she might as well keep quiet. He was as stubborn in his way as was her father. Cherry sighed. After a little she began to talk of other things. Dan's surlyness disappeared and when they left the restaurant he was in good spirits once more.

"How about a movie?" he suggested.

"No, Dan, I think I'd rather go home. To tell the truth I'm sort of homesick to see the place again."

Dan had been right about his efforts at housecleaning. Inspired though they were by high motives, the results were onesided. He had certainly failed to "get rid of all the dust."

Cherry was at work early next morning. She wore an old dress that was ruined for any other purpose, rolled up her sleeves and tied a towel about her head. For an hour she wielded a broom vigorously. Then with a pair of warm, soapy water she began to wash woodwork. She had just finished scrubbing the floor of the bathroom when the ringing of the bell indicated that someone downstairs wanted to see her.

Cautiously Cherry looked over the bannister.

"Oh, Martin!" she called. "I had no idea it was so late! If you'll wait just a few minutes I'll hurry!"

She darted back into the apartment, threw off the disreputable dress and dashed water on her face. Ten minutes later she came running down the stairs.

Martin, dignified, as always, helped her into the car and closed the door after her.

Cherry enjoyed the drive. She found her mother sitting in the big chair before a window of her bedroom. A bowl of roses from her garden filled the room with their spicy perfume. There was sunshine outside but the bedroom was cool and lowered awnings kept out the glare of the sun.

Mrs. Dixon was smiling as Cherry entered. The nurse slipped away and left them together. They were talking of inconsequential subjects when, in the midst of a sentence, Mrs. Dixon's words broke off.

"Cherry!" she exclaimed. "Your hands—what on earth have you been doing with them?"

The girl glanced down. Against the brown crepe of her frock her two hands flamed bright pink. They looked swollen and rough.

"Why—I—"Cherry began, "they do look badly, don't they?"

It must have been something in the water."

She knew very well what had caused that redness—the compound she had put into the scrubbing water. Cherry laughed uneasily. "I'll have to get a lotion of some sort, I guess."

"There's one on my dressing table," Mrs. Dixon instructed her. "Put some on right away. I've always been proud of your hands, Cherry. You mustn't let anything spoil them."

The girl had found the sweet-smelling mixture and poured some of it into her palm. "Of course not," she said. "I'll remember."

Three days later Cherry noticed her mother again looking at her hands. "I must remember," the girl thought. "I'll have to get rubber gloves and wear them."

There was another incident that disturbed Cherry. It was the second week after she had returned to the apartment and housework. She arrived at her parents' home late in the afternoon. Mrs. Dixon was in the living room with two guests, Mrs. Alden and her daughter, Gretchen.

Gretchen Alden, who was fair-haired and blue-eyed looked particularly attractive in a frock of blue organdie. Her leghorn hat had just enough of the Watteau shepherdess about it and just enough of the Parisian designer's touch to be both picturesque and chic.

Cherry was wearing a shantung sports dress. It was one from last summer and looked it but Cherry herself had not been conscious of this fact until she saw Gretchen. Mrs. Alden and her daughter excused themselves soon and Cherry saw them to the door.

When she returned Mrs. Dixon said, "Cherry, I want you to go to Madeline's to-morrow and pick out some new clothes. Charge them to my account. It will be all right—"

"Oh, but I couldn't do that! Dan would never stand for it."

"Then you'll have to manage without his knowing. I'm not going to have you practically in rags. You look a sight! Besides, you really need some dresses."

Cherry laughed. "I'm sure I don't know what for," she said. "We're not going anywhere. Dan's holding over his vacation until fall so we can save some money."

"But I want you to promise me you'll get those dresses."

Cherry couldn't very well refuse. There didn't seem to be any reason why she should. After all, why should Dan object if her mother wanted to buy her a few pretty dresses?

"I'll see," she said. "I can't go tomorrow but I'll see. That was a pretty thing Gretchen was wearing, wasn't it?"

It was two days later that Cherry's father stopped her as she was going through the hall.

"Come into the study a moment, will you?" he asked. "Your mother and I have a plan and I hope you'll agree with us."

(To be continued.)

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Hakodate, Aug. 31. Seventeen members of the crew of the steamer Kumie Maru were drowned as a result of a collision with the Raito Maru off the coast of Hokkaido to-day.

The ill-fated vessel sank within five minutes. Only 11 were saved.

—Reuter's Special.

**FORCED LANDING.****PACIFIC FLIER DOWN ON ALEUTIAN ISLANDS**

Tokyo, Aug. 31.

The German aviator von Gronau, who is attempting to fly the Pacific, was forced to make a landing on Kamaga Island in the Aleutians yesterday morning.

The information, which came by wireless and was pieced up at Ochiishi, stated that bad weather was the cause.—Reuter.

Captain von Gronau, who recently crossed the Atlantic via Ireland in a flyingboat, arrived at Cordova, safely on August 26, with three companions.

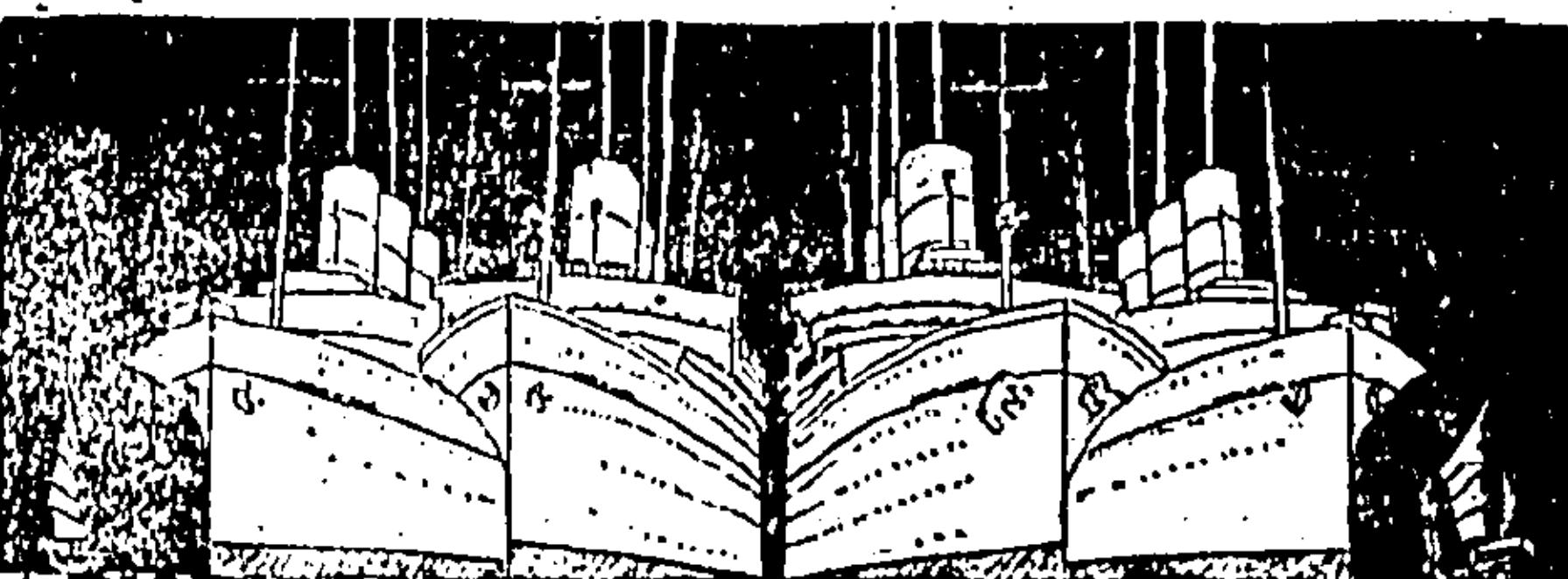
They are attempting to make a flight round the world flying by the westerly route, hoping to return eventually to Germany, whence they started.

He hopped off from Cordova, shortly before noon on August 26, for Dutch Harbour.

Awaited at Shanghai.

Plans are going ahead in Shanghai to give Gronau an elaborate reception.

He has been invited to be the guest of Baron Ruedi von Collenberg, German Consul-General at Shanghai. It is possible, however, that the baron may necessarily be absent from Shanghai between September 4 and 18, which period may coincide with that of the flier's visit. In that case his party will be guests of Mr. A. O. Waser, General Manager of the Astor House Hotel, whose invitation is also awaiting him in Tokyo. There will be many social functions.



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### MURDER TRIAL ARGUMENT

#### COURT RESERVES ITS DECISION

The legal fight for the life of Cheng Kwok-yau concluded yesterday afternoon when the Full Court, comprising the Chief Justice (Sir Joseph Kemp) and the Puisne Judge (Mr. Justice Wood) reserved decision.

Mr. Eldon Potter rose to reply to the prosecution's arguments immediately after the tiffin adjournment, when he said he would submit two points. The first point covered a number of sub-heads and the second point was on the fact that there was no evidence to go to a jury on the question of agency.

Dealing with the last point first, Mr. Potter said it was interesting to note that it was mentioned by the Crown only as one of their last words before the conclusion.

Mr. Potter submitted that on the points put by his learned friend Mr. Sheldon, it was impossible to say there was a *prima facie* case to go before the jury in view of the authorities he had placed before the court.

These heads submitted by the Crown were arrived at only by mere conjecture. The suggestion regarding the chauffeur and the whole of Zimmern and Christie evidence was not even in law, evidence of agency.

#### Pure Conjecture.

He put it to the court that it was pure conjecture, and if any inference could be drawn from the evidence, which they denied, that inference would be that in fact Lau was not the authorised agent, because they would recollect that as a result of the calling of the gang together, it was merely so that they should hold Fung whilst his face was slapped.

Dealing with the admissibility of evidence, Mr. Potter said that with great deference to the Crown he submitted that they had absolutely avoided the one real point on that aspect of the case. Mr. Sheldon had confined himself to the law on one case of Halsbury's and had left untouched the real issue. The Crown had told their Lordships that because it was a case of procurement it made no difference at all. He submitted that it made all the difference in the world.

#### Three Points Avoided.

Mr. Potter submitted that the Crown had avoided dealing with the following three points:

(1) That this is a case of procurement, which they (the defence) had called agency.

(2) That the Tsui and Zimmern and Christie transactions were entirely separate and entirely distinct and did not fall within the test applied by Mr. Justice Kennedy in Bond's case. That Mr. Sheldon had not said one word to counter the argument of the defence on this point.

(3) That if the two things are separate then the assault and plot are not admissible to the case. That is the whole basis of the argument, said Mr. Potter. That the two things were separate. If it was one and the same transaction then he admitted that all

The Court reserved judgment.

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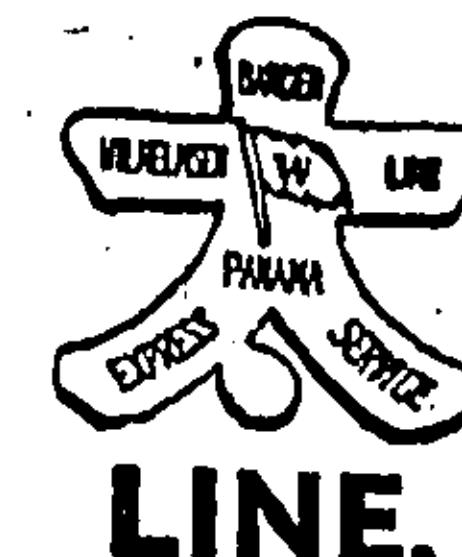
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### K. C. C. TENNIS

#### TOURNAMENT MATCHES PLAY YESTERDAY

Fine weather favoured the Kowloon Cricket Club's tennis tournament yesterday, when the full programme of first round games scheduled was played. Results: Results: Junior Championship, Phillips beat Gittins (walk-over), P. O. Dunn beat Labeseder, 2-6, 6-0, 6-3, 7-5. L. Jack beat R. S. Capell, 6-3, 6-4, 6-0. G. A. White beat F. S. Smith, 6-3, 6-2, 6-3. Handicap Doubles, Gray and Burnett beat Dunn and Green, 6-3, 6-4. Hung and Zimmern beat Dunn and Buchman, 6-0, 6-3. E. Kengelbacher and Labeseder beat C. Kengelbacher and Rakusen, 6-0, 6-1.

#### League Fixture.

South China beat Club de Recreio seven sets to two in a "B" division Lawn Tennis League fixture yesterday at Recreio. Results:

Lee and Lee (South China) beat T. A. and H. A. Noronha 6-2, lost to L. Rocha and A. V. Remedios 1-6, beat A. P. Gutierrez and J. J. Remedios 6-4, K. H. Chua and C. C. Luk beat Rocha and Remedios 6-3, beat Noronha and Noronha 6-1, lost to Gutierrez and Remedios 4-6.

D. C. Luk and W. H. Ho beat Rocha and Remedios 6-4, beat Noronha and Noronha 6-3, beat Gutierrez and Remedios 6-0.

#### ST. LEGER ACCEPTORS

#### APRIL THE FIFTH IS BUT DOUBTFUL STARTER

London, Aug. 31. Final acceptances for the St. Leger to be run at Doncaster on September 7, closed to-day with 21 three-year-olds still in. They are:

Hespens' Celebrator, Violator, Royal Dancer, Totting, Sunder Gain, Udaijan, Dastur, Takasra, Firduassi, Beneficial, Loantondale, Silvermere, Charuncou, Gavelkind, Foghorn II, Gainshaw, Orwell, Leighton, the Fifth, Will o' the Wisp.

Mr. Tom Walls, noted stage and screen star and owner of April the Fifth, says the Derby winner is a doubtful starter.—Reuter.

#### BOWLS CHAMPIONSHIP.

#### FINAL CONTEST POSTPONED TO SEPTEMBER 8.

A postponement has been made of the play-off for the final of the lawn bowls open championship between Nish and Gutierrez. Originally fixed for September 6, the match has now been changed to Thursday, September 8 at the Kowloon Cricket Club.

The game to decide third and fourth will also be played on that day.

### THE SHANGHAI OUTLOOK

#### JAPAN WANTS REPLY TO PROTEST

Shanghai, Aug. 31. Events seem to be moving in the same direction as those which preluded the recent Sino-Japanese hostilities at Shanghai.

It was learned to-day that Mr. Murai, Japanese Consul-General at Shanghai, intends to-morrow to request that the Mayor, Mr. Wu Teh-chen, formally reply within a stipulated time to the Japanese protest made on August 17 regarding the anti-Japanese movement. In that protest Mr. Murai asked that drastic measures be employed to suppress the boycott activities, as he considered such movements to be most detrimental to the early restoration of friendly and normal commercial relations between China and Japan.—Reuter.

Shanghai, Aug. 31.

A strong protest against anti-Japanese propaganda in the Chinese newspapers was lodged this morning with the Mayor, Mr. Wu Teh-chen by Captain Sugisaka, Commander of the Japanese naval landing party, who especially censures what he describes as misleading reports concerning the movements of Japanese bluejackets in Shanghai.

It is believed that if Mr. Wu Teh-chen's reply is considered unfavourable Captain Sugisaka will then request the closure of the newspapers concerned.—Reuter.

For some time reports have appeared of Chaper residents being alarmed by frequent visits of Japanese naval parties to Woosung, Kiangwan and elsewhere on the old battlefields. It has also been alleged that Japanese marines in Hongkew maltreat Chinese pedestrians.

Last week large parties of Marines visited the battlefields unarmed, and it was explained, merely on sightseeing tours. These parties were said to have had official Chinese permits, and Chinese Municipal Police officers were said to have accompanied them. The newspapers, however, published reports that permits were refused, for fear of alarming the people and provoking incidents.

Significant Trip.

Nanking, Aug. 31. Mr. Lo Wen-kan, Foreign Minister, accompanied by Mr. Liu Tsung-chieh, went to Hankow by air to-day to confer with Chiang Kai-shek on the Sino-Japanese

### HOCKEY TRIALS.

#### TWO GAMES PLAYED TO GUIDE SELECTORS

Two hockey trials to choose the team to represent Hongkong against the Indian Olympic team on September 16 were played on the Hongkong Hockey Club ground yesterday.

In the game between the Jats and the Hongkong and Singapore Brigade, R. A. the Jats proved decidedly superior to their opponents, winning two goals to nil.

Both goals were scored in the first half, and it was then decided to let only the goal keepers change. Captain Gori, who kept goal for the Jats, was then faced with a barrage of shots from his own side when he occupied the other goal, but acquitted himself creditably in saving two exceedingly fine drives. Seopy Jalal netted both goals for the Jats, before the change of goalkeepers took place.

The Jats possessed a very workmanlike forward line, which was always on the aggressive.

Colours v. Whites.

The other match between two teams representing Colours and Whites ended in a win for the latter three goals to nil.

The game was rather scrappy, but otherwise the standard of hockey was good. The Whites win was due to their use of the opportunities presented, while their opponents were erratic in front of the goal.

W. Reed was perhaps the best man on the field, and did yeoman service for the Whites. Johnson, of the South Wales Borderers, was also very much in the limelight and his second goal was the result of a fine solo effort, which evoked much applause. G. Singh, of the Radio, opened the scoring for the Whites, and Johnson added the other two goals.

McLellan played soundly for the losers, and was very well backed by E. V. Reed. The Army players all showed off well.

The first goal was scored by G. Singh in the first half, and on changing ends Johnson added the other two goals.

The teams were: Colours—Cdr. Higham (R.N.), E. V. Reed (Club), Pte. Pole (S.W.B.), Pte. Davis (S.W.B.), A. A. Durd (Club), D. McLellan (Y.M.C.A.), d'Almada (C.R.), Lt. Tyler (S.W.B.), A. T. Lay (Club), W. E. Williams (Club) and C. C. Francis (Club).

Whites—G. Duncan (Club), A. R. Botelho (C. de R.), J. Rodger (Club), W. A. Reed (Club), Lt. Crosswell (S.W.B.), A. E. P. Guest (Radio), H. Khan (Jats), G. E. R. Divett (Club), G. Singh (Radio), Pte. Johnson (S.W.B.) and T. J. Price (Y.M.C.A.).

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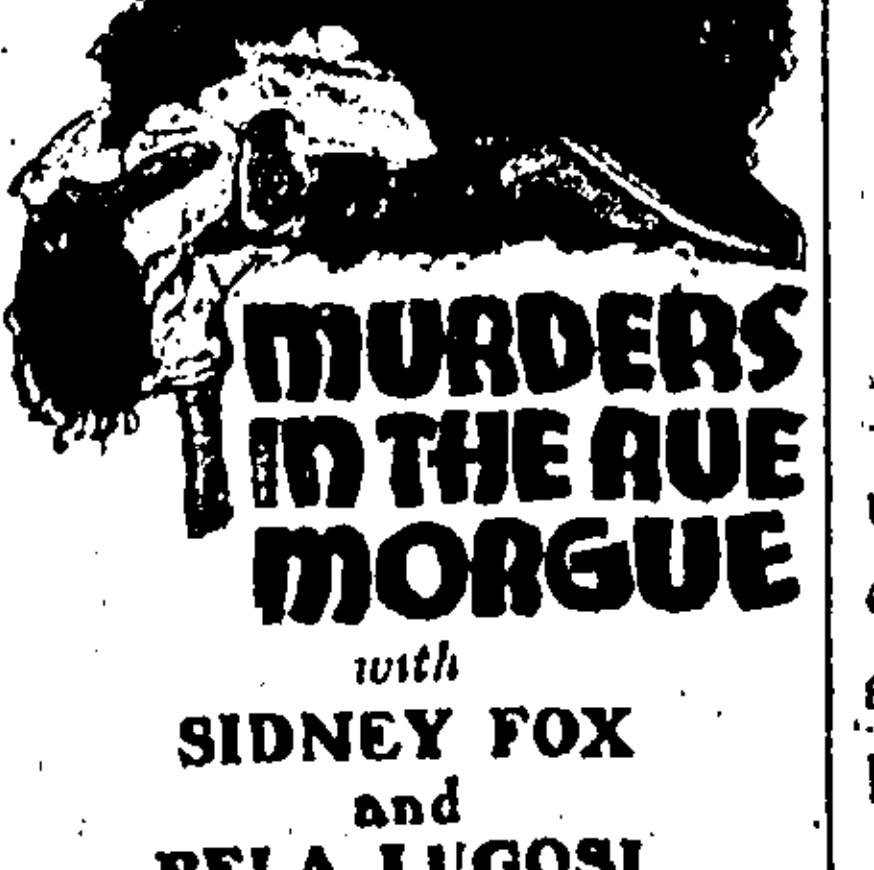
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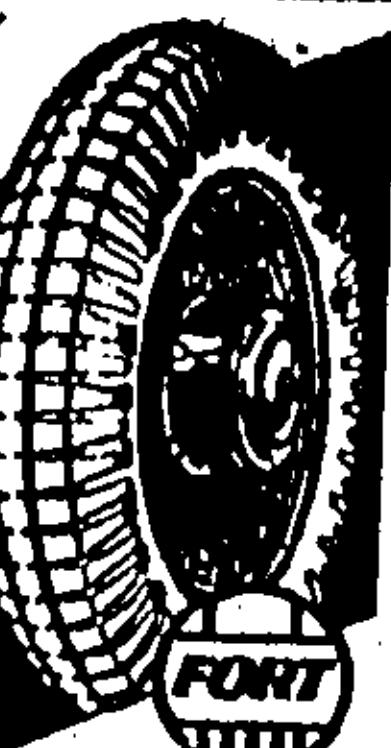
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## TAI CHI URGES REINFORCEMENT IN SHANGHAI

### BATTLE FOR MUKDEN

FRESH DRIVE BY VOLUNTEERS

### JAPANESE HARD PRESSED

Tokyo, Sept. 1.  
Heavy fighting is proceeding between Japanese troops and hosts of "Volunteers" in the vicinity of Mukden, according to a message from the *Asahi* correspondent.

The seriousness of the situation is now admitted in Japanese circles. The strictest martial law is being maintained in Mukden, whose streets are still silent, despite the fact that this involves the reduction of men available for the scene of the fighting.

The *Asahi* correspondent says that the fresh series of attacks by the Chinese Volunteers against Mukden were launched early this morning and bitter encounters have occurred at a dozen places.

Groups of marauders estimated at least five thousand are moving towards Mukden from all points of the compass, their passage being strenuously resisted.

The invaders are plentifully equipped with machine-guns and trench mortars, as well as rifles, and first news of the actual fighting suggests that they are making headway. It is said that the attackers are aiming chiefly at the arsenal, the aerodrome and the radio station.—Reuter.

### WINTER IN THE ANTARCTIC

### CAPTAIN LARSEN'S EXPEDITION

(Special to "Telegraph")

Oslo, Aug. 31.  
An expedition to the Antarctic is being planned by Captain Riser Larsen, a member of several of Amundsen's expeditions.

He hopes to leave shortly for the Antarctic where the party will spend the winter, but arrangements are not yet complete.—Reuter.

### COTTON STRIKE SPREADING

### 150,000 WEAVERS DOWN TOOLS

London, Sept. 1.  
It is anticipated that by the end of the week nine-tenths of the weavers in the Lancashire cotton industry will have left employment and the mills shut down.

More mills had to be closed for lack of operatives yesterday and the strikers now exceed 150,000.

The employers allege intimidation by the strikers, but hitherto there has been very little serious disorder.—Reuter.

### SWEDISH MATCH COMPANY

### RECONSTRUCTION APPROVED

Stockholm, Aug. 31.  
The representatives of American creditor banks have now definitely assented to the proposals for the reconstruction of the Swedish Match Company.

The investigators of the Company's position are convinced that it would be in the best interests of creditors for the company to continue in business.—Reuter.

The Royal Observatory reports that a weak anticyclone has developed to the north of the Yangtze Valley, a

### WILL XIXTH ARMY RETURN?

### FEARS OF NEW WAR IN ALL MINDS

### FEW TROOPS IN ZONE

(SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH.")

Shanghai, Sept. 1.  
Fears of a renewal of Sino-Japanese hostilities in the Shanghai area are in everybody's mind and a parallel is being drawn between Mr. Murai's demand for a reply to his protest and the similar prelude to the war in January.

Chinese residents of a warlike disposition are already commencing an agitation for the return of the Nineteenth Route Army to Shanghai.

General Tai Chi, the Garrison Commander of the Shanghai and Woosung areas, interviewed by the *China Press*, yesterday, deplored the lack of a sufficient force of troops around Shanghai "to cope with an eventuality."

#### OUTBREAK UNLIKELY.

While General Tai Chi indicated his opinion that another Sino-Japanese outbreak of hostilities is most unlikely particularly on the eve of the presentation of the Lytton Reports, he emphasised the importance of strengthening the Chinese defences.

At the present time, he said, there are no troops stationed in Chapei and the whole of this important territory has been left to the control of the police and the Peace Preservation Corps organised by the Municipal Government of Greater Shanghai.

#### XIXTH ARMY.

There are only two regiments in the Shanghai zone, he declared. One of them is at Nantao and the other in the Chinese City.

Asked regarding the possibility of the detachment of the Nineteenth Route Army to Shanghai, General Tai Chi said, it would be difficult as General Tsai Ting-kai's men are now engaged in Communist suppression in Fukien Province.—Reuter.

Despite the fact that a search was made and that no evidences were found, without further warning last night, a bomb was thrown from a motor-car during the height of the traffic, in which the bombers quickly disappeared.

The shop sustained considerable damage, wreckage being strewn all over the place, but fortunately there were no casualties as a result of the explosion.

#### JAPANESE WARNINGS.

According to the *China Press* which quotes the *Eastern Times*, a Japanese group calling itself the Red Jacket Protection Corps has been formed to oppose the activities of the "Bloody Group" and has warned merchants that it will retaliate against the boycott of Japanese goods with pistols and bombs.—Reuter.

### LAST VOLUME OF FEETHAM REPORT ON SHANGHAI

### LARGER COUNCIL RECOMMENDED: PERMANENT OFFICIALS

Shanghai, Sept. 1.  
The concluding volume of Mr. Justice Feetham's report on the problems of the Shanghai Foreign Settlement is published to-day. It deals almost entirely with internal questions of municipal administration.

committed system.  
His chapters are devoted to (1) financial control and functions of the finance committee, (2) provisions relating to the appointment and duties of auditors, (3) qualifications of members of the Council and rules affecting their conduct and tenure of office, and

### INDUSTRIAL PLANNING SCHEME

#### RESENT SYSTEM HELD SUFFICIENT.

London, Aug. 31.  
The Committee appointed to investigate the desirability of promoting new industrial development of a central organisation to institute research, has reported that the existing Government organisation is efficient and sufficiently flexible for the purpose and that they are unable, therefore, to recommend the establishment of a new organisation.—British Wireless.

### PEACE WITH IRELAND

### BRITAIN MAKING NO OVERTURE

(Telegraph Special.)

London, Aug. 31.  
Hints from Ottawa of an impending Anglo-Irish peace agreement, to be initiated by a calling off of the tariff war, appear to have been a trifle premature.

Nothing is known at Whitehall regarding any impending developments towards a settlement of the differences between London and Dublin.

The return of the Free State delegates from Ottawa seems to have aroused expectations which are without justification at the moment, though the story of a patching up of the dispute emanated in Ottawa from Irish quarters.

#### NO MOVE BY BRITAIN.

Certainly, there is no immediate hope of peace insofar as the reports suggest the imminence of fresh developments on the British side.

It is authoritatively stated that no change need be looked for unless the Free State Government alters its position.—Reuter.

#### THOMAS VISIT RUMOUR.

London, Later.  
It is rumoured that Mr. J. H. Thomas will visit Dublin soon.

Mr. de Valera, it is understood, has decided to attend the meetings of the Council of the League of Nations at Geneva in September.

He will probably be elected chairman.—Reuter.

### STRANGE SHARE DEALINGS

### INJUNCTION GRANTED IN LONDON

London, Sept. 1.  
Mr. Justice Goddard has granted a motion by five minority shareholders of the Chosen Corporation, Limited, against the directors of the company, for an injunction restraining the defendants from utilising the Corporation's monies for subscribing to three Japanese companies whose shares the Corporation held and preventing these companies from using the money to buy Chosen Corporation shares until the trial of an action.

Plaintiff's counsel said that fifty thousand pounds had been spent for shares at par (which is £1) while the value of the shares had never exceeded six shillings.

Mr. Justice Goddard, giving judgment, referred to the sale of shares of the Corporation at a price much above that obtainable on the London Stock Exchange and said that if that sort of business had been going on it was wholly undesirable and, if proved, might turn out to be fraudulent.—Reuter.

The Diocesan Boys' School's new prospectus has just been issued. It has been completely revised and is



Recruits to the Reichswehr taking the national oath at Potsdam. The old Junker spirit is awakening to new life, sublimated by President Hindenburg.

### VAIN NAZI STRUGGLE

### COMPROMISE WITH THE CENTRE PARTY

### NO IMPRESSION ON PRESIDENT

Berlin, Aug. 31.  
Tremendous activity is going on behind the scenes in the political world, the outcome of which cannot be predicted. It is the general opinion, however, that President Hindenburg will consent to no process which will deprive Captain von Papen of full powers.

The Reichstag is not meeting again until September 8 to hear the Chancellor's political programme, after which it is expected that an indefinite adjournment will be moved in order to avoid a dissolution.

The interval will be employed in negotiations between the Nazis and the Centre. These discussions for a coalition are at present only in their initial stage and the possibility still exists of a dissolution by Presidential decree since the Cabinet has indicated that it will not allow discussion of the emergency decrees, against which the Social-Democrats have already submitted a motion.

#### INTERVIEW REFUSED.

President Hindenburg has informed the Reichstag delegation, consisting of Captain Goering, the Nazi Speaker, and the Deputy Speaker that he cannot receive them for an interview at his country seat, but will be prepared to do so on his return to Berlin next week.

The President's decision has caused consternation in the ranks of the Nazis and it seems to suggest that Hindenburg is also playing for time while the plans of Captain von Papen and General von Schleicher reach fruition.

#### BARGAINING OUTLOOK.

The Nazis declare, however, that the refusal to meet them for the present does not mean that the door has been closed to efforts to induce the President to change his views about the Reichstag, in which they are of opinion a working majority can be achieved with the assistance of the Centre Party.

The success of their efforts is, in government circles, regarded as most unlikely as President Hindenburg is convinced that a Nazi-Centre coalition would be only a chance product of party bargaining without a programme of value.—Reuter.

### GERMAN INVASION BY AIR

### BIG MEETING AT HESTON

Cologne, Aug. 31.  
Fifteen aeroplanes flown by some of Germany's best known airmen and airwomen are leaving Dusseldorf aerodrome in the morning to attend a great week-end air meeting at Heston aerodrome, organised by British fliers to repay hospitality received abroad.

The invading fleet is led by Captain von Hoepner, the vice-president of the German Aero Club, and includes the long-distance woman flier, Fraulein Elli Behnorn, Captain Loerzer, a famous war pilot, and Herr Ruchman, the well-known German film star.—Reuter.

### GUEST OF KING GEORGE

### MR. THOMAS RETURNS TO LONDON

London, Aug. 31.  
The Dominions Secretary, Mr. J. H. Thomas, returned to London to-day from Balmoral, where, with the Prime Minister, he has been the guest of the King.

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By W. E. McKenney.

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♦ A-K-J	♦ Q-8-5	♦ A-J-10-9	♦ A-8-4
♦ 10-9	8-6-2	♦ J-4	♦ 7-6-2
♦ 7-6-3	♦ 7-6-3	Dealer	SOUTH
♦ Q-5-3	♦ A-K-9-7-3-2	♦ 4	♦ J-9-2
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### The Bidding.

Neither side was vulnerable. Mr. Lightner, sitting in the South, and his partner, Mr. Reith, sitting in the North, were using the One over One system. Mr. Lightner opened the bidding with one heart, West passed and Mr. Reith in the North bid one spade—somewhat psychic, but a forcing bid which requires partner to re-bid. East passed and Mr. Lightner bid two hearts. Mr. Reith in the North then bid six hearts.

### The Play.

The ten of spades was opened by West which North the dummy won with the king. A small heart was returned from dummy and won by Mr. Lightner in the South with the king. He then led the ace of hearts, picking up the outstanding trump of the opponents, and followed with a small spade, winning in dummy with the ace and returning the jack of spades winning in his own hand, with the queen, stripping both his hand and that of the dummy of spades. Mr. Lightner, the declarer, next led the four of diamonds, winning in dummy with the ace.

In order to make six odd, Mr. Lightner must now find at least one diamond honor in the East hand, therefore he led the jack of diamonds. When East covered with the queen, Mr. Lightner trumped and led a small heart, winning in dummy with the queen. The ten of diamonds was then led and East refused to cover, trying to make the declarer guess. But it was immaterial to Mr. Lightner who held the queen of diamonds so he discarded the deuce of clubs. If West happened to hold the queen of diamonds, then the declarer would be able to discard his losing club on the nine of diamonds and either way he was assured of his small slam, East and West getting only one club trick.

### THE COTTON STRIKE

#### MORE EMPLOYEES CEASE WORK IN LANCASHIRE

London, Aug. 31. No move has taken place to bring the parties to the Lancashire cotton dispute together.

A meeting of the employers' organisations was held in Manchester and, though no statement was made at its conclusion, it is understood that the employers have decided to maintain for the present a waiting attitude.

The Central Committee of the Weavers' Amalgamation also met, after which the Secretary stated that the Committee, having received reports from the districts, expressed deep appreciation of the response made.

Though the number on strike to-day has increased, no stoppage has yet occurred at most of the weaving mills in South Lancashire.—*Reuter's Special*.

## AT REPULSE BAY.

### FATHER NEPTUNE WILL COME ASHORE

Information has been received from a reliable source that His Majesty, King Neptune, Father of the Seas, Lord of all the Ocean, accompanied by His Royal Spouse Amphitrite and Dolphine, his Chief of Staff, will land at Repulse Bay on the afternoon of Tuesday, 6th September, 1932.

A full retinue of Heralds, Guards, Boars, Barbers, Doctors etc. will be in attendance.

A Court will be held immediately after His Majesty has landed and the mystic rites of Initiation into the "Freedom of the Seas" will be carried out with full ceremony.

Local residents should roll up in larger numbers and see all the pomp and circumstance—and help the M.C.L. effort.

### Donations to Charity.

In connexion with this gala to be held at Repulse Bay, it is interesting to recall the allocation of funds for 1931, as an indication of the widespread nature of the charities which are helped annually. Last year's allocations were as follow:

### Local Charities.

Hongkong Benevolent Society \$1,500, Hongkong Society for the Protection of Children 1,500, Cheero Club 1,500, C. M. S. Village School Fund, New Territories 1,000, C. M. S. Vernacular Day School, Hongkong 1,000, Nethersole Hospital M.C.L. Cot 1,000, Garrison Ladies Help Society 1,000, Naval Aid Fund 1,000, C.M.S. Victoria Home and Orphanage 1,000, Protestant Alms Houses, Kowloon City 700, The Salvation Army Home, Kowloon City 600, Medical Benevolent Association 600, Building Fund C.M.S. Victoria Home and Orphanage 500, Child Welfare Society, New Territories 500, Street Boys Club 500, Mrs. Mow Fung's School for Rescue Work 500, The Blind Home, Pokfulam 500, St. Joseph's Home (Aged Poor) 300, The Hon. Secretary Young Women's Christian Association 200, The Boys' Industrial Home, Salesian Institute 200. Total \$16,600.

### Home Charities.

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### Grand Total of Funds Raised.

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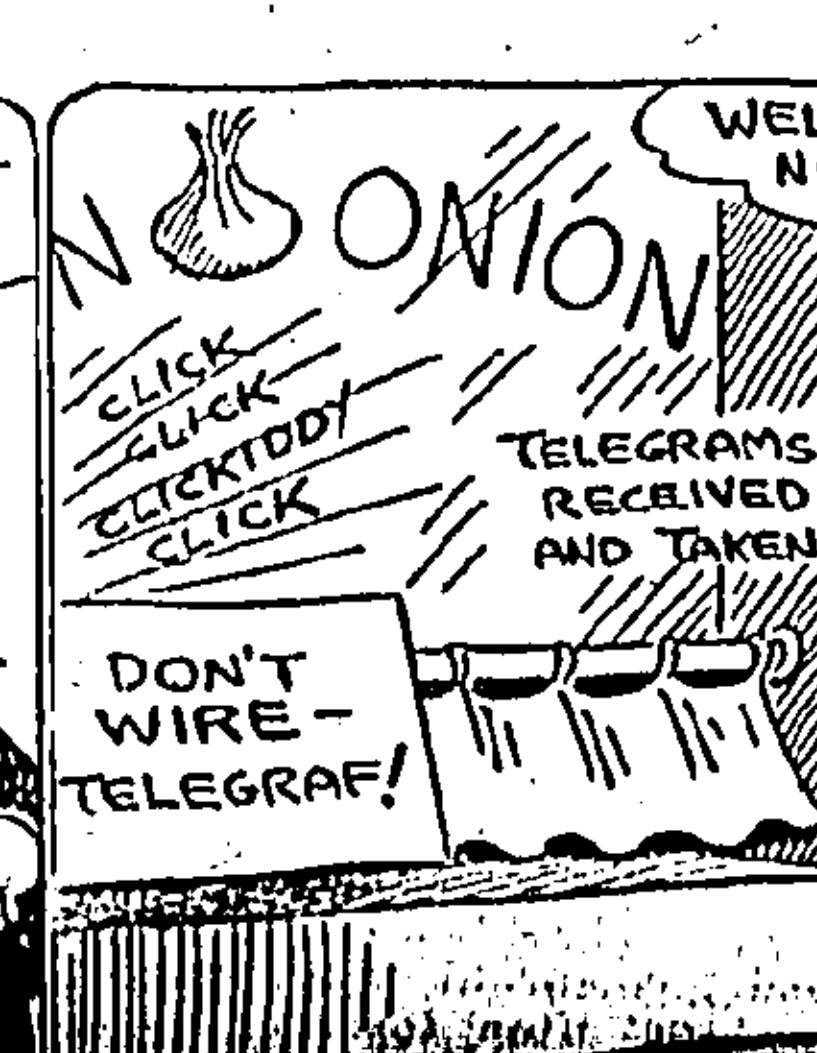
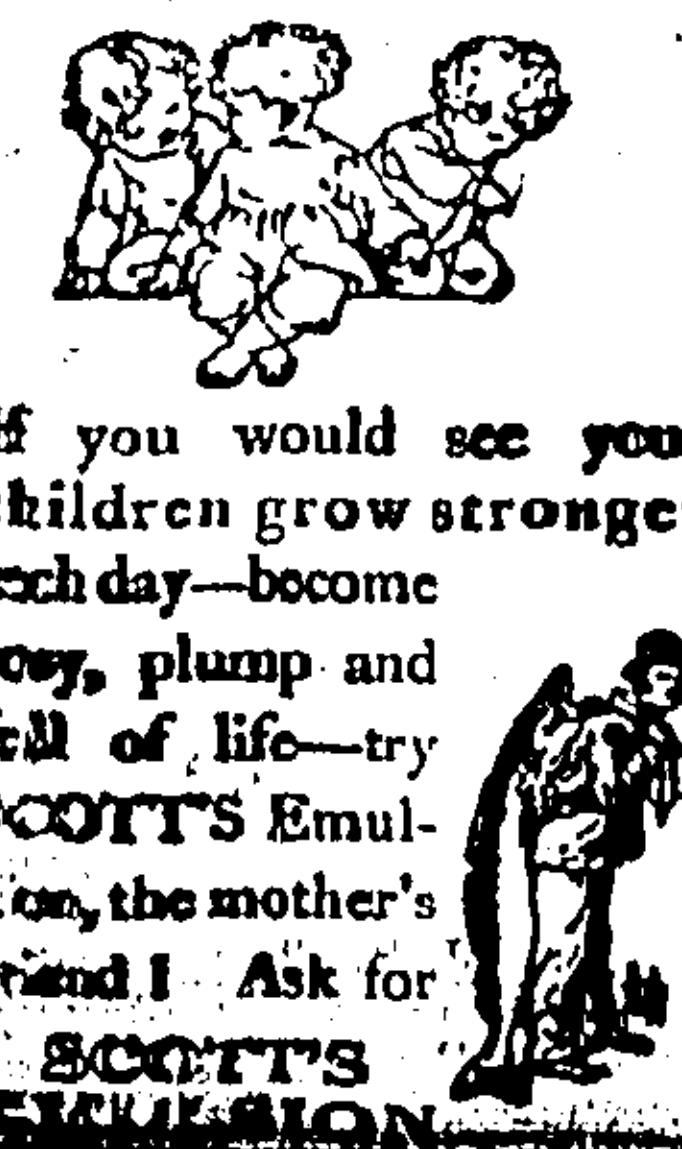


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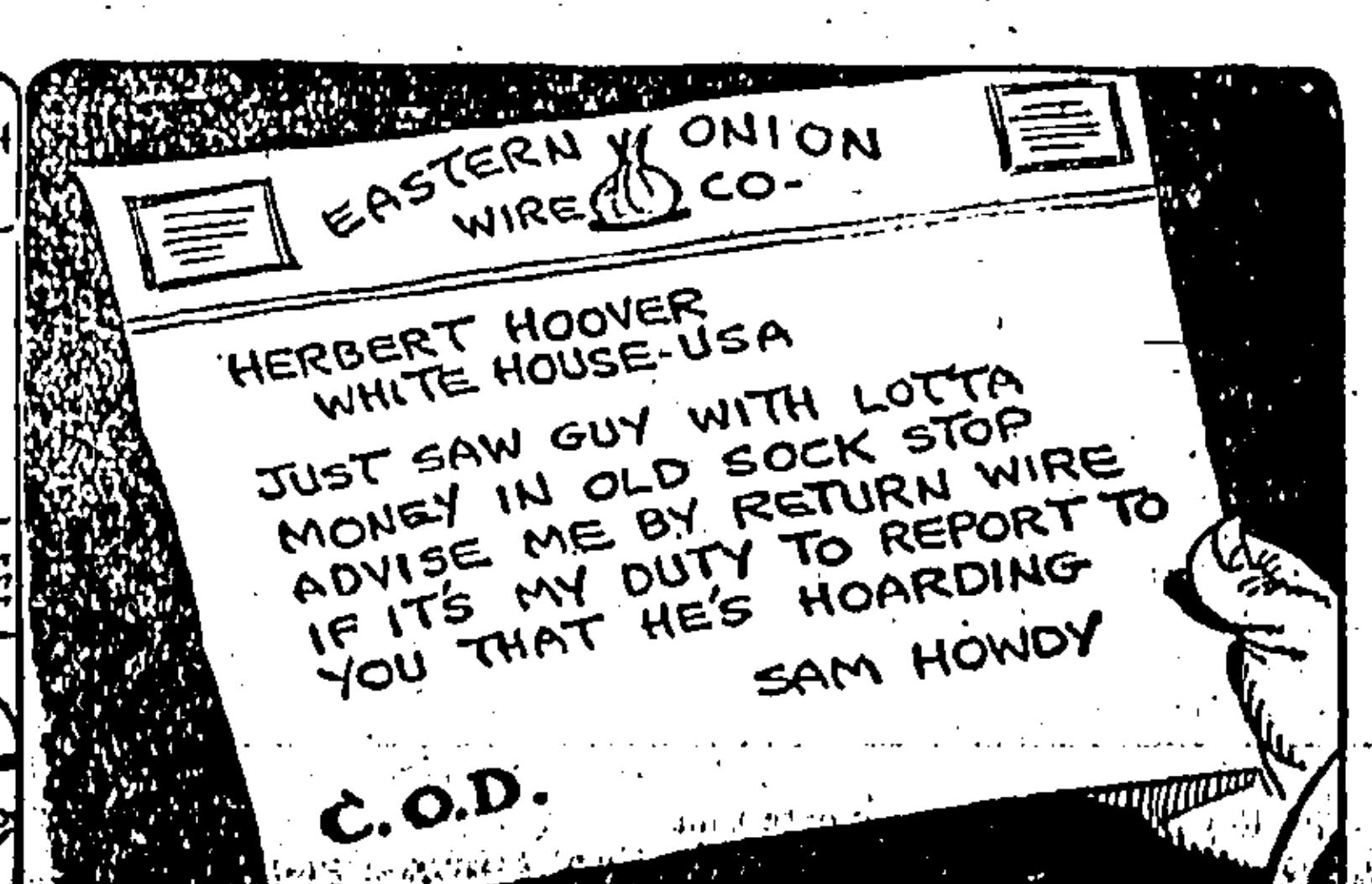
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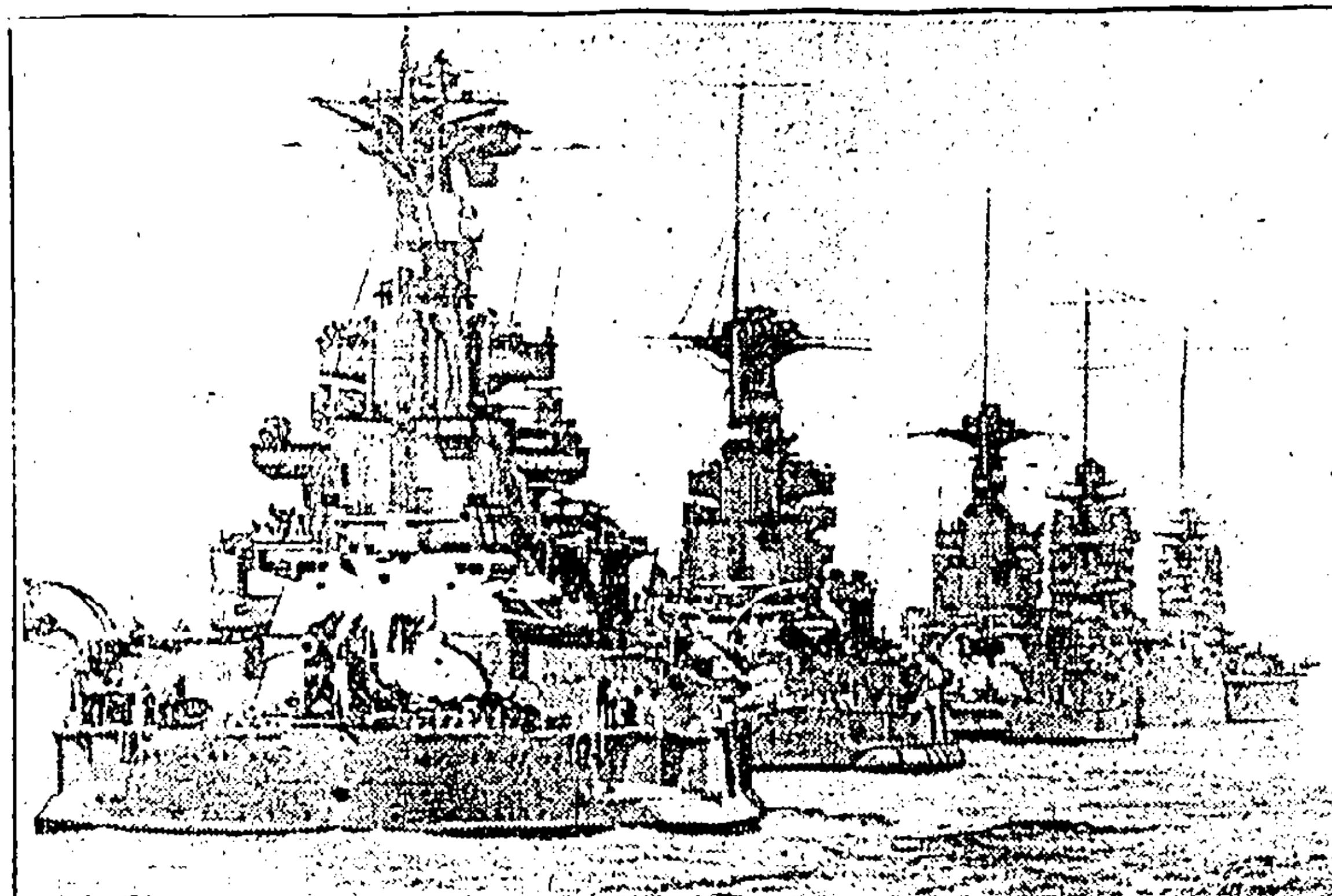
The Turkish delegates at Geneva on the occasion of Turkey's admission to the League.



The troops, with their gas and bayonets, had come and gone, leaving smouldering desolation behind them. Members of the bonus army in Washington had been effectively routed by charging cavalry. Those who had families, and were able to keep them together, sought refuge wherever they could—in parks, in littered vacant lots. Their own shelters and most of their personal belongings were gone. Hungry children whimpered; mothers wept hysterically. Such a scene is pictured here as a family of refugees awaited a cheerless dawn.



Suzanne Longlen, taken recently in Paris where she is training seriously for a come-back, possibly as an amateur.



Impressive symbols of British sea power are those battleships, shown in fighting formation during fleet exercises which were witnessed by the King off Weymouth. Note the tremendous beam.



Douglas Fairbanks Junior and his wife, Joan Crawford, pictured walking in London.



Miss E. Zorarsakina, the great Russian actress, who plays the role of Alcina in the film from Michael Sjolochoff's latest novel.

The model for the monument to the world's great inventors to be erected near the Technical Museum, Vienna.

## LEAP YEAR BRIDE by Laura Lou BROOKMAN

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY.

Cherry Dixon, pretty 19-year-old daughter of wealthy parents, falls in love with Dan Phillips, newspaper reporter. She quarrels with her father about Dan, leaves home and, taking advantage of Leap Year, asks Dan to marry her.

They are married and for the first time Cherry finds what it means to lack money. Her struggles with household are disastrous, and she is soon thrown into the New's. She is friendly with Cherry. She meets handsome Max Pearson who also works on the New's.

Cherry receives a letter from her mother asking for money. She returns the check because pride will not let her keep it. Dan, worried about bills, undertakes to write a short story but becomes discouraged and leaves it unfinished.

Two days later Cherry learns her mother is critical of Cherry's house and at her mother's bedside the father and daughter are reconciled. Mrs. Dixon passes the crisis of her illness. Cherry remains at home for several weeks while her mother goes down town to meet Dan. She meets him with another girl and becomes angry.

CHAPTER XXVIII

Dan and the girl in white were almost abreast of Cherry before they recognized her. Dan called out, "Hello, Cherry. Waiting long?"

There was a bright circle of red in each of Cherry's cheeks. "Hello," she said evenly, determined to seem as casual as he had been. "I've been here a while. I really haven't noticed how long."

The other girl smiled. "I don't

believe you remember me, Mrs. Phillips," she said. "I'm Connie Randolph. We met at the Casey's party—the night you were married."

"How do you do. Yes, of course I remember."

The slight note of frigidity was not to be missed. The other girl hesitated a moment. Then she said, "It's awfully nice to see you again. Well—I must hurry or I'll miss my bus."

She directed her smile at Dan turned and was gone.

"Look here, Cherry, you might have been a little more cordial to old Connie!"

"Old Connie! Is that what you call her? I don't think you need to give me lessons in etiquette, Dan. She didn't even know I was talking—looking at you all the time!"

"Cherry! For Lord sake!"

She must not let him see that her lips were trembling. She must not let the tears come. To steady herself, Cherry turned away.

Dan's hand was on her arm. "Honestly, honey," he said in a softer tone. "I don't understand. Is anything wrong? Gosh—you've been away so long and it's so good to see you."

Here is the scene of the bitterest battle between the entrenched bonus army and Washington police on government property at Third Street and Pennsylvania Avenue.

You didn't seem to think much about me when that Connie was here!"

Dan's laugh was a short, derisive shout. "Don't tell me you're jealous, Cherry! Not of old Connie! Oh, that's too ridiculous!"

She whirled and mist made the brown eyes larger, more luminous. She forgot that her lips were trembling. She said, "I've been so lonesome! I've counted on this meeting so. And then you came with—that other girl! You were laughing as though you'd forgotten all about me!"

It was six o'clock of a June evening in the centre of Wellington's business district. There were a score of pedestrians in sight. Nevertheless Dan Phillips put both arms around his wife.

"Cherry," he declared, "I know what you look at me like that again. I'll kiss you. I don't care if the entire population is glaring at us. I don't care if the Mayor and the Chief of Police and the Editor of the New's all are watching. I think I'll do it anyhow!"

But he didn't. The girl broke away from him, laughing.

"Dan Phillips, you're impossible! You're getting sillier every day!"

"Oh! That's the welcome I get, is it? That's my reward for dutifully putting out the milk bottles and feeding the cat."

"But I thought Dixie was taking care of Pinkie?"

"Oh, well—a mere figure of speech! Anyhow I did put out the milk bottles. Seven of 'em this morning."

"Why, Dan, you haven't been eating at home, have you?"

"No, but I drank the milk. Say, Cherry, I'm glad you're back! I tried to fix the place up a little last night, but I'm afraid I didn't get rid of all the dust. How's your mother to-day? Come on—what do you say we have dinner and you can tell me all about everything?"

They went to Schroeder's, the restaurant where they had dined so often together. It was pleasant

to sit down again, to talk again, to be together again.

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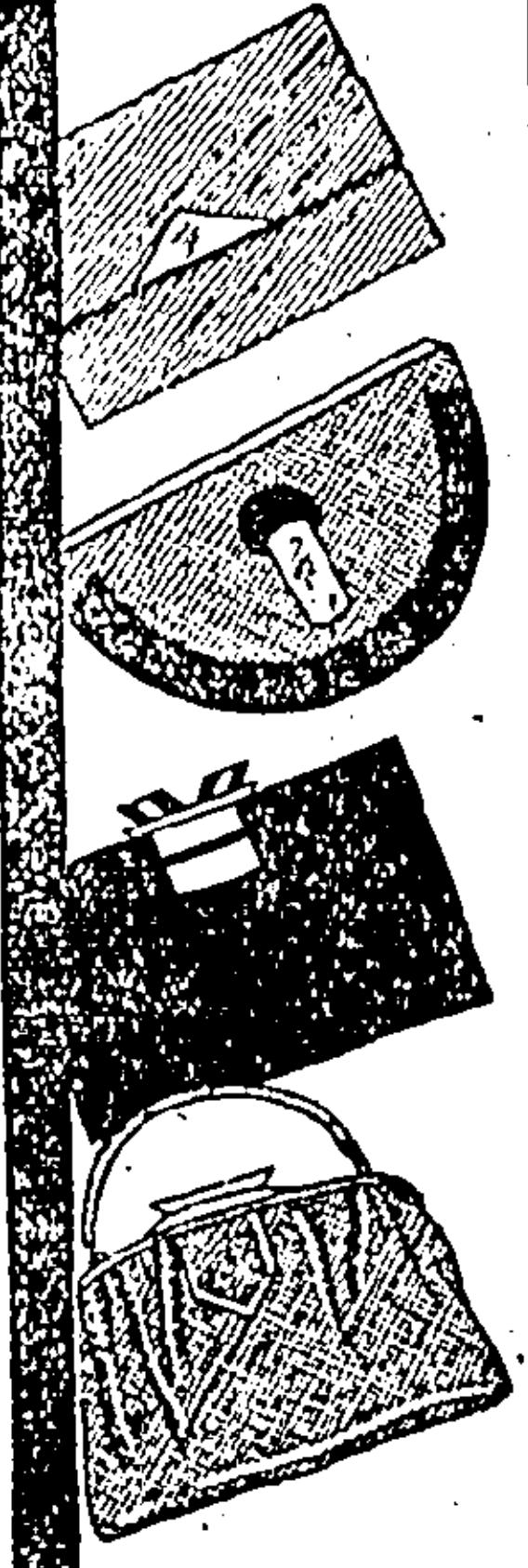
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## SITUATIONS

Applications are invited for the post of Sub-Officer in the Fire Brigade. Applicants must be between the ages of 21 and 28 years, of good and sound physique, and must possess a good knowledge of English and Chinese. Salary \$100 per month, rising to \$150 per month. Uniform and quarters found. Applicants, with testimonials, should apply in person to the Superintendent, Central Fire Brigade Station, between 10 a.m. and noon on any day before the 7th September.

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### NOTICE.

Monday being Bank Holiday the French Convent School, Causeway Bay, will re-open on Tuesday, the 6th September, at 9 a.m. instead of Monday, the 5th as previously announced.

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NOTICE.

Applications for water meters are invited from all Landlords within the Rider Main Areas.

In the case of all applications received from the 18th August, 1932, to the 31st October, 1932, for metered connections in the Rider Main areas, the connections will be made free of charge.

Applicants should obtain application forms from the Water Authority, Public Works Department, to whom the forms should be returned when duly completed.

R. M. HENDERSON, Water Authority. Public Works Department. Hongkong, 1st September, 1932.

G. R.

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Tuesday, the 6th day of September, 1932, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at To Kwa Wan in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the King, for one further term of 75 years.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements.	Content in sq. feet	Annual Rental	Upset Price
1	Kowloon Island Lot No. 2325	Ha Heung Road, To Kwa Wan	As per sale plan.	About 3,610	\$58	\$2,372

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PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements.	Content in sq. feet	Annual Rental	Upset Price
2	New Kowloon Island Lot No. 1922	Junction of Cheung Sha Wan Road and Manly Street.	As per sale plan.	About 5,104	\$104	\$22,660

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PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements.	Content in sq. feet	Annual Rental	Upset Price
3	New Kowloon Island Lot No. 1925	Junction of Cheung Sha Wan Road and Poplar Street, Shamshui Po.	As per sale plan.	About 16,610	\$306	\$66,450

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New York, Aug. 31. The Athletics to-day dropped another peg in the last-minute effort to challenge the Yankees for the American League pennant. Hobson (Detroit) twice hit their pitchers for home runs and Gehring emulated his colleague. In the National, Koening and Cuyler hit for the circuit to give Chicago a 10-9 victory over the Giants, while Brooklyn took a double header from Cincinnati after a terrific nightcap contest in which thirty-four hits and 21 runs were registered. Pittsburgh held on to second place, defeating Boston 2-1. Traylor scored the winning run, a homer. Results:

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago	10	19	2
New York	9	16	0
Cincinnati	1	4	1
Brooklyn	7	14	0
Cincinnati	10	15	1
Brooklyn	11	19	2
Pittsburgh	2	7	1
Boston	1	7	0

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Philadelphia	4	12	0
Detroit	5	16	1
Washington	7	12	0
St. Louis	6	8	6
Louge standings follow:			
NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
Chicago	75	51	.505
Pittsburgh	69	60	.536
Brooklyn	70	62	.530
Philadelphia	65	66	.497
St. Louis	63	65	.492
Boston	63	68	.481
New York	59	70	.457
Cincinnati	56	77	.421
AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
New York	91	38	.706
Philadelphia	81	51	.610
Washington	74	54	.579
Cleveland	72	58	.554
Detroit	65	61	.516
St. Louis	55	71	.497
Chicago	39	87	.309
Boston	37	92	.286

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### A.O.F.C. QUOTATIONS FOR YESTERDAY

New York, Aug. 31. Dow Jones Averages:

Avg. 30. Aug. 31.

30 Industrials ..... 74.30 73.16

20 Rails ..... 35.87 36.63

Utilities ..... 33.65 33.10

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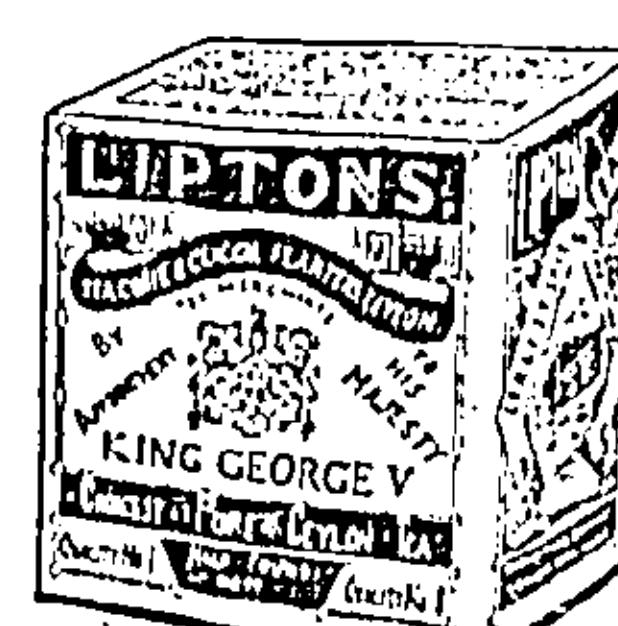
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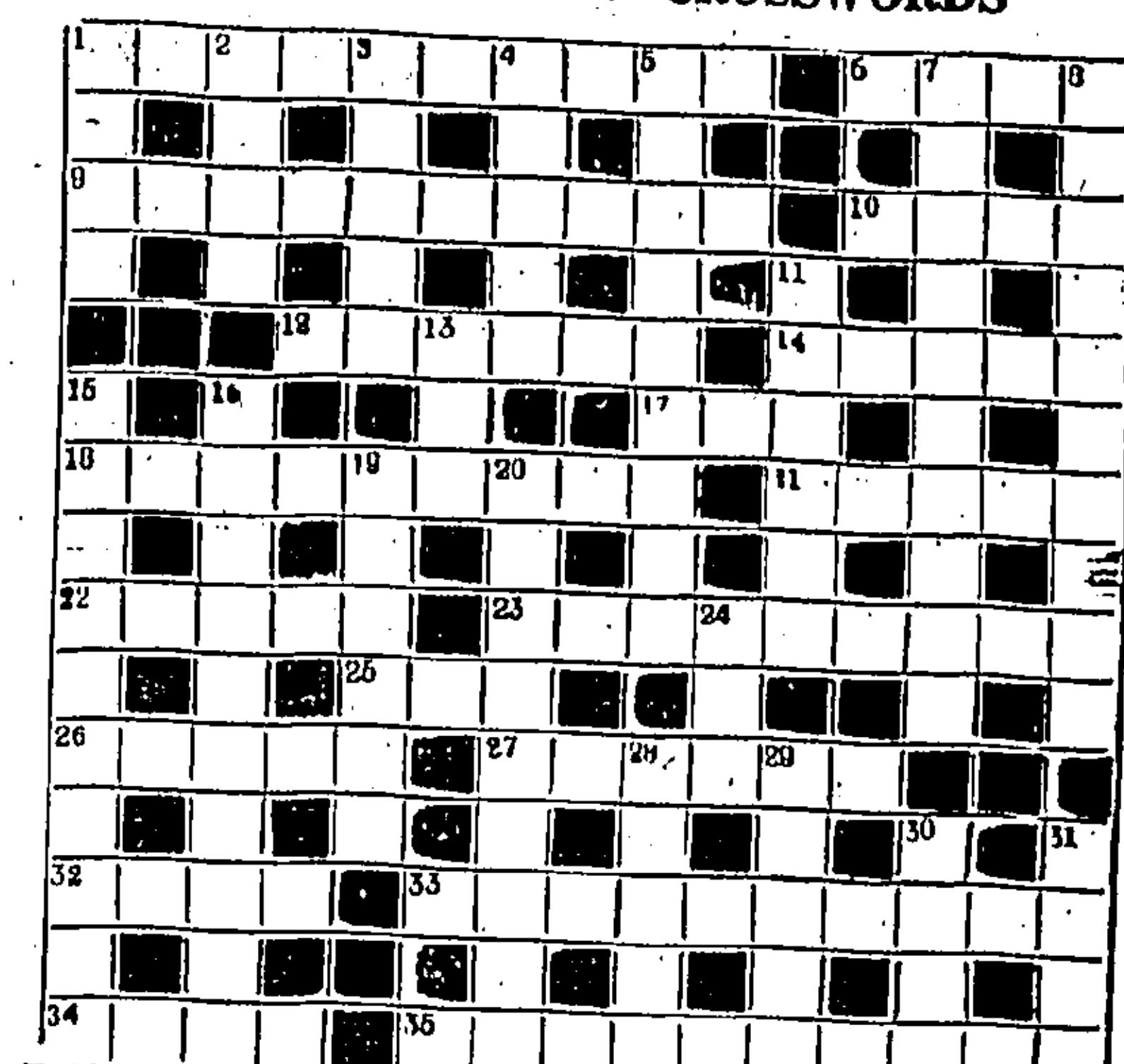
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Across

- 1 A matter of mutual modification.
- 5 "Patch peas" (anag.).
- 7 Thriving.
- 9 This insect shows a place to keep money in a religious house.
- 10 This trooper was a border rafter.
- 12 A herb.
- 14 English town.
- 17 Stands for a very senior regiment.
- 18 I glued tea, to make it quite clear.
- 21 An angler can't get this creature from a boat, but might from the shore.
- 22 This kind of seat is the beginning of a tiff.
- 23 Apparently a choice between music and a little devil to pester one.
- 25 Spirit.
- 26 These Atlantic islands show a retreating artist surrounded by the enemy.
- 27 Passage.
- 32 Hail at sea.
- 33 "We remind 'er" (anag.).
- 34 "Shall I not take my—in my inn..." ("Henry IV").
- 35 Lying.

Down

- 1 A bit of clothing that otherwise may affect the ears.
- 2 Letters in this form may be a protection.
- 3 Describes the day for which the prodigal does not think.
- 4 Wherein certain difficulties have

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NG QUINN.—Mrs. T. Ng Quinn of 5, Arbutneth Road passed away this morning at 11:30 a.m. at No. 3, Po Shan Road, aged 78 years. Tientsin, Peking and Shanghai papers please copy.

**The  
Hongkong Telegraph.**

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1932.

**WORLD'S NEEDS**

Not much has been heard so far in the U.S. Presidential election campaign on the question of war debts, but the time will come when the United States will find it necessary to state its attitude clearly and without ambiguity of any kind. There are indications that the Republicans would favour some sort of bargain with America's debtors, especially along the lines of opening up channels for more trade with Europe. The reactions of the European Powers to this idea have not yet been disclosed. The Democrats, on the other hand, do not appear disposed to make any concessions on the matter, but their policy might possibly undergo some change if they came into power.

In the meantime, there are still many other issues standing in the way of world economic recovery. The agreement reached at Lausanne, carrying with it the wiping out of reparations, is but a beginning in clearing away the wreckage of folly and narrow nationalism. We ought not to allow it to be used to divert attention from other urgent problems. There are essential "next steps," and these must include a courageous attack upon the barriers to world trade and a cut in world armaments. Tariffs continue to strangle international trade, and the heavy burden of armaments is crushing the nations. All political parties in England were agreed that reparations must be ended. But the same measure of unanimity is lacking on the other problems. The Hoover Disarmament Plan represents the minimum of what should result from the Geneva Conference. At least it would afford a definite measure of disarmament in our time. Disarmament unexpectedly showed signs of improvement, so much so that he was discharged as being quite recovered on Tuesday.

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Three men arrested in connection with the shooting of a man in the Central Police Station.

at Lausanne. Before that Conference, reparations were already ended in fact. Nobody imagined for a moment that there would be a resumption of payments. The Lausanne Conference recognised the inevitable and formally and officially registered "finis." This was all to the good, for it removed one of the factors most disturbing in Franco-German relations and most damaging to world economic well-being. The fact that such a decision should have proved inescapable casts doubts on the wisdom of the advice given by bankers, financiers and national leaders fourteen years ago. The world has paid a very heavy price for this particular piece of folly.

The Lausanne delegates did the right thing with regard to reparations under the pressure of bitter experience. The lesson can be applied. The peoples of the world want neither tariff wars nor military wars, and they demand the removal both of the conditions which produce, and the mechanism which is employed to wage such wars. Then the world will have a stable basis upon which to pursue its constructive activities.

**Egypt Watches the League.**

Egyptian newspapers have had a great deal to say about Turkey's admission to the League of Nations. The event has apparently given great satisfaction to the people of the Land of the Pharaohs, and it can be safely said that Egypt is really looking on with somewhat envious eyes for she, too, would like to join the League.

The question of Egypt's admission as a Member State is, however, bound up with a treaty/agreement with Great Britain. In the abortive treaty with Great Britain, one of the clauses stipulated that Egypt was to be admitted to the League. It is rumoured that Egypt is eager to re-open negotiations with the British Government but at the moment the Cabinet has its hands full with other affairs—disarmament, Ottawa, Ireland and India, to name but the more outstanding issues and until they are out of the way or are less pressing, it is not inclined to commence an Egyptian Conference.

Egypt must, therefore, content herself, for the time being, with applying next year for admission to the International Labour Organisation of the League of Nations which she could do without waiting for her political differences with Britain to be settled. It may be remembered that Egypt was this summer represented for the first time at the I.L.O. Conference by an observer. She is, of course, represented at the World Disarmament Conference and also takes an active part in the work of the League's Opium Committee. She has benefited considerably from the work of the I.L.O. for as the result of an application for advice which she made to the International Labour Organisation, Mr. H. B. Butler, then Deputy Director of the Office, was sent to Egypt last year to advise the Government on the creation of a Ministry of Labour, the need for which has long been obvious.

**VICTIM OF SHIP  
BRAWL****DIES AFTER RELEASE  
FROM HOSPITAL**

A fatality has resulted from the incident occurring on board the J.C.J.I. Tisadani in harbour last week, when a number of Chinese emigrants, returning to their homes in Fukien from the Dutch East Indies, engaged in a brawl, and one of them was seriously stabbed.

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**DAY BY DAY**

ENGLISH PEOPLE LOOK UPON  
PARADISE AS A BRITISH POSSESSION.  
—Max O'Rell.

One case of cholera from Kowloon was reported to the health authorities on Tuesday.

It is understood that the Budget will be introduced in Council on Thursday, September 16.

The local offices of Messrs. Thos. Cook and Son have received a cable advice to the effect that the Siberian railway route via Harbin is now again in operation.

A new addition to the staff of the Diocesan Boys' School is Mr. D. I. Luard, who arrives here in October. Educated at Tonbridge and Lincoln College, Oxford, he has a good degree in Classics and English, and has latterly been on the staff of Sherborne School. In addition, Mr. E. C. Thomas is returning from leave, while Mr. A. G. F. Prew, an old boy of the School, is joining the staff with added qualifications and experience after study in America.

A coolie was stopped at Shamshui po yesterday carrying two sacks found to contain a quantity of chlorate of potash. He was charged before Mr. Fraser at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning with being in possession of this chemical without a label in English and Chinese. He pleaded ignorance, saying he was asked to carry it to the Yau Ma Tei Wharf. At the Kowloon Magistracy to-day, the police applied for a remand, intimating that summons would be taken out against the owners of a warehouse by whom defendant was employed. The case was accordingly remanded until Saturday morning.

**WATER LEVELS.****WEST NORTH AND EAST  
RIVERS**

The following table issued by the Kwangtung River Conservancy Commission shows the height of water in English feet on the dates named in the West, North and East Rivers: Highest on record. 30 ft. 31 ft.

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North River at Tamyuen ... +41.7 0 9.7 9.5

North River at Nankow ... +27.3 5.3 10.6 11.1

East River at Sheding ... +15.5 -2.5 13.1 13.5

**SUGAR MARKET****THE LATEST CABLED  
QUOTATION**

The following cable at the close of the sugar market yesterday has been received by Messrs. Pentreath and Co.

**LONDON TERMINALS.**

December 1932 6/6 down 1/2d

March 1933 6/7 1/2 down 1/2d

May 1933 6/8 1/2 no change

August 1933 6/10 1/2 down 1/2d

Buyers at above prices, sellers asking 1/2d-1/2d

**NEW YORK TERMINALS.**

September 1932 1.09 down 5 pts.

December 1932 1.14 down 2 pts.

March 1933 1.10 down 2 pts.

May 1933 1.13 down 2 pts.

July 1933 —

**THE ADJECTIVE EVIL**

more hardworking than intelligent; and Herriot has never contested her judgment—in fact, is rather proud of it.

Another picturesque figure in the present Cabinet who is not unknown in England is M. Painleve, the Air Minister. M. Painleve might well stand for the romantic story writers' idea of the typical savant; and it is really surprising that such a brilliant abstract thinker and one in many ways so unpractical, should have been several times Prime Minister of France.

There are many good stories of M. Painleve's absent-mindedness, but I think the best is about an experience he had as Minister of War. Having to go out of the Ministry on some business, M. Painleve pinned a notice to the outside of his door saying: "Back in half an hour." Some time after he returned and still meditating deeply on some philosophic matter arrived before his office and read the notice. "Oh well, I'll wait," he said to himself and sat down on the bench in the corridor. He was discovered there some time afterwards when a number of people arrived for an interview with the Minister.

M. Painleve is invariably late on all occasions and holds the long-distance record for Cabinet making, having sat through a whole night and the forenoon of the next day without succeeding in constituting a Ministry.

Of quite a different stamp is M. Camille Chautemps, Minister of the Interior, former President of the Radical Party and a four days' Prime Minister. Tall and spare with a pale ascetic face, M. Chautemps is the typical rather Old-fashioned and yet anxious to be advanced, like a middle-aged person trying to be young.

Take the Prime Minister, for instance. Nobody knows how long M. Herriot has been Mayor of Lyons, and the number of years he has represented that city in the Chamber must be hardly less. It would seem paradoxical to describe as a Conservative one who bears the reputation that M. Herriot enjoys in England; and yet, if love of France and its past, and attachment to the convictions of an older generation constitute Conservatism, the Radical leader must be regarded as strongly impregnated with it. Starting life as a professor of literature, M. Herriot has never lost his love of letters and art; he has written attractive books on Mme. Recamier, Beethoven and the Normandy Forest; and in the intervals of an active career, divided between the leadership of the biggest political party and the administration of France's second largest town, he finds time to give public lectures on music and collect rare bibelots and original editions.

M. Herriot adds to his other distinctions that of being the most assiduous railway traveller in France. He lives in Lyons in a house overlooking the Rhone, and stays in Paris on the top floor of a big hotel on the boulevards. During the Parliamentary session he often travels three or four times a week between the two.

M. Herriot is very big, and admits to being a considerable eater; he is also capable, he claims, like the bone-constrictor, of doing without food for long periods. His only near relative, an aged aunt long since dead, always considered her distinguished nephew

M. Georges Leygues, Minister of Marine, the fourth ex-Premier in the Cabinet, has held his present portfolio so long and so often that he has taken on almost a nautical air, and with his long drooping moustaches and ruddy complexion might pass for a French admiral or retraité. He is the only member of the Government recruited from the Left Republicans, the party of M. Tardieu, whom he has never forgiven for dropping him overboard during the London Naval Conference.

The element of staidness is not lacking in the rest of the Cabinet, in such members of it as M. Albert Sarraut, the King of Toulouse and the Midi, who might have been Premier but for his unimposing exterior; M. Paul Boncœur, the brilliant ex-Socialist lawyer, frequently spoken of as future Prime Minister; M. Germain Martin, the financial expert who has been brought in to reduce expenditure; M. Gardoy, another right-wing man. The inclusion of that explosive little Meridional M. Daladier is in fact an exception which only proves the rule that the Cabinet is respectable—too much so for most of its supporters.



"Yes, we had a terrible bust-up. She wouldn't even come out of the bath tub."

We have been appointed President of the Society for the Suppression of Swearing and Pyjama Parties.

Conscious as we are of the magnitude of the work that lies before us, we unflinchingly face our task. One of the first matters we will discuss will be a proposal that girls be prohibited from going in for open air sports.

The loose leaf system, which is said to have been the origin of all sin, must be abolished, and nobody's breath shall, in future, come in short pants.

The corruption of our language is a subject that must be gone into thoroughly. Several widely used and revolting expressions have already been placed on our Index. Shing Mun Dam, must, in future, be referred to as Shing Mun Dash.

Much concern has been expressed by our Committee at the continued use of the word "blasting" in connexion with road work in the Colony. We hope to abolish all blasting within the next six months.

Motorists, when drawing up to a bower for benzine, are requested to pronounce the word "Shell" with the last four letters silent as in "Parlour." The committee has also decided to ban the use of the word "dash" in connexion with driving.

**HOME FOOTBALL**  
**THROSTLES  
MAKE  
GOOD START**  
**BEAT CHAMPIONS &  
RUNNERS-UP**

**BRADFORD UPSET**

London, Aug. 31.  
 Are West Bromwich Albion to prove the team of the year? On Saturday they defeated Everton, the champions, easily at the Hawthorns. To-day they defeated the Arsenal, runners-up in League and Cup, in London, by the odd goal of three.

Other sides to obtain their second victory of the season in the first division to-day were Derby County, who disposed of Blackburn and Portsmouth, who beat Chelsea, 2-0.

In the Second Division, Oldham gave Bradford a shock, and in the Third Division (South), the Palace took the leadership from Bradford by defeating Brighton with five goals to spare. The result seems to indicate that the Palace, who went through last season without a home defeat, will not easily allow their record to be upset.

Gateshead are on top of the Northern Section. They won 3-1 at Darlington to-day after a 4-0 win on Saturday.

Results:

**FIRST DIVISION.**

Arsenal	1	West Bromwich	2
Derby	2	Blackburn	1
Everton	2	Wednesday	1
Manch. City	1	Birmingham	0
Newcastle	5	Middlesbrough	1
Portsmouth	2	Chelsea	0

**SECOND DIVISION.**

Bradford	1	Oldham	3
Plymouth	4	Grimbsy	1

**THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH).**

Bristol C.	2	Torquay	0
Crystal Pal.	5	Brighton	0
Gillingham	9	Norwich	2
Swindon	2	Newport	0
Watford	1	Reading	1

**THIRD DIVISION (NORTH).**

Chester	1	Southport	1
Darlington	1	Gateshead	3
Halifax	4	Hartlepool	0
N. Brighton	1	Mansfield	0
York City	2	Stockport	2

**SCOTTISH LEAGUE.**

Rangers	5	Third Lanark	0
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—Reuter.

**ALLEGED SALE  
OF GIRL**

**YOUNG MAN APPEARS  
IN DOCK**

Mr. W. M. Thomson, of the Secretariat for Chinese Affairs, prosecuted a young man named Lai Po-hing before Mr. Fraser at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning for harbouring and selling a girl aged 16 after taking her to Canton.

Mr. T. P. K. Kemble appeared on behalf of the defendant.

Mr. Thomson said he was applying for a remand, as several material witnesses had to be brought down from Canton, but he would give his Worship some details of the case.

Defendant, it appeared, was working a haberdashery shop in Kowloon and the girl was a frequent customer. Her visits to the shop recently became more and more frequent, and the two parties got to know each other quite well. One night, the girl asked her mother for permission to go to the pictures. She went to the defendant's house, but whether they went to the pictures or not was problematical. Anyhow, the girl did not return home that night, but stayed with the defendant in a house in Laichikok Road.

Having burned their boats, so to speak, they went up to Canton the next morning by train. On the train, they met two friends, a man and a woman, who were said to be friends of the defendant. On arrival in Canton, they stayed in a hotel together, all four occupying one room.

Later on, the girl alleged, she was taken to see defendant's "aunt," who subsequently turned out to be the mistress of a brothel. The prosecution would try to show that the girl was sold for \$100.

Meanwhile, the girl's father had rushed up to Canton and lodged a petition with the Government with whose help his daughter was traced to the brothel in which she had been left by the defendant. Both parties were then brought back to Hongkong and handed over to the S.C.A.

His Worship fixed September 8

**WORLD PHONE  
SERVICE**

**HONGKONG STILL  
HOPING**

**PRESENT POSITION**

The possibility of Hongkong being linked with the world's most important cities by wireless telephony—a possibility which was hinted at 18 months ago at the annual meeting of the Hongkong Telephone Company, is still likely to materialise.

Mr. J. P. Sherry, manager of the Telephone Company this morning told the *Telegraph* that he is in communication with the Imperial International Communications, Ltd., the concern which is keenly interested in world-telephony, and in addition there is the scheme of the Chinese Government for the establishment of a series of stations in China, which, if it comes to fruition, will provide Hongkong with an alternative opportunity of linking itself up with the rest of the world.

A representative of the Imperial Communications visited Hongkong in January, 1931, when Mr. Sherry interviewed him and explained the interest which Hongkong had in the Company's project.

**AWAITING REPLY.**

In November last, Mr. Sherry wrote to the Imperial International Communications on the subject, not having heard anything more from them, and they replied stating that the plans of the Company, which had been made part of a general scheme, had been submitted to the various authorities (presumably the Government), but were not yet concluded in detail.

The hope was then expressed that additional information and the probable dates of the inauguration of the service would be available within a short time, but as nothing more had been heard, Mr. Sherry wrote again last month, and he is now awaiting a reply.

But, should this particular scheme fall through, Hongkong has an alternative on which to rely. The Chinese Government has announced its intention to establish a series of stations throughout China, including Canton and Shanghai, and Mr. Sherry pointed out, the project would be of great assistance to Hongkong in that they had already laid the trunk cable through to Canton.

**THE OUTLOOK.**

The erection of national stations, including one at Canton, and an international station at Shanghai, would ensure Hongkong getting into wireless telephonic communication with any part of the world.

Mr. Sherry expressed the view that it is doubtful whether the Imperial International Communications' scheme will be completed in less than two years, whilst recent reports indicate that there had been a slight hitch in the Chinese Government project.

**DOLLAR SLIGHTLY  
DECLINES**

**SILVER MARKET  
EASIER**

The silver market is easier to-day, with the result that the Hongkong dollar has declined 1/8th to Is. 4½d. Locally, the market has a weaker undertone. In London, silver declined 1/8th spot and 3/16ths forward. India was a small buyer, while America and China were small sellers. After the official fixing, there was no special feature, with the market quiet.

New York reports silver down 1/8th, and the market there is easier.

**WRECK OF BRIG  
ROMANCE**

**SUNKEN TREASURE  
LURES SALVAGERS**

Once more the English brig *De Braake*, which sank off the Delaware Capes in 1798, is the inspiration of salvaging parties lured by the cargo of alleged gold and silver bullion now lying on the bottom of the bay off Cape Henlopen.

Representatives of a salvaging party, said to be from Baltimore, have arrived in Lewes. They brought with them maps and charts indicating the spot where the *De Braake* was supposed to have sunk. They also brought with them documents obtained from England regarding the ship's history and cargo, estimated to be worth \$10,000,000 in a treasure

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The comfort of patrons has not been lost sight of in the effort to provide for enjoyable entertainment. The seating is comfortable, the theatre well ventilated, it allows excellent vision of the screen from all parts of the building, and is, in every respect, a pleasant place to relax from the daily worries.

Excellent machinery has been installed, the Western Electric sound equipment being used, as well as the Simplex projector and Dallmeyer's Super-Lite lenses.

"Sky-Bride," a Paramount picture, is being shown. It features Richard Arlen, Jack Oakie and Robert Coogan in several thousands of feet of thrills, and is fast and sensational entertainment. As with all Paramount films, photography reaches a high standard and little fault will be found with the acting. The aerial sequences are given bold treatment, quickening the interest of the audience until the dramatic climax is reached.

Performances are given at 2.30, 5.30, 7.30 and 9.30 each day, and prices are exceptionally low and popular, the dress circle being 80 cents, back stalls 50 cents and front stalls 30 cents including tax.

**INDIAN DEFENCE  
PROBLEMS**

**TRIBUNAL TO MAKE  
REPORT**

London, Aug. 31.

His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom, in agreement with the Government of India, has decided to set up a tribunal to deal with the following points:

(1) To consider and report whether, and, if so, on what bases there should continue to be contributions by India towards the recruiting and training expenses at home of the British Army in India.

(2) To examine India's claim that a contribution should be made from Imperial revenues towards military expenditure from Indian revenues.

(3) To examine the War Office claim that India should pay a direct contribution towards the cost of the regular and supplementary reserves.

(4) To consider whether the sea transport contribution paid by the War Office to India should be continued or modified after 31st March, 1932.

(5) To examine and report *mutatis mutandis* on such of the questions raised in the preceding paragraphs as are relevant to the contribution at present paid from India in respect of the Royal Air Force personnel in India.

Sir Robert Garran, lately Solicitor-General to the Commonwealth Government of Australia, will act as Chairman. Associated with him will be Lord Tomlin and Lord Dunedin, nominated by His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom, and Sir Shadi Lal and Sir Muhammad Salaiman, nominated by the Government of India.

The proceedings of the tribunal will be confidential, and its report, which is to be made to the Prime Minister, will be advisory. Its recommendations will therefore not be binding on either Government.

Arrangements are being made for the tribunal to assemble in London early in November.—*British Wireless*.

pirated from two Spanish galleons, one of which sank with the brig. The documents show that the brig went down in 74 feet of water about one mile out in the bay, directly opposite Cape Henlopen. The salvagers already have ascertained that the present depth is now about 80 feet. Mr. Robertson voiced the belief that the brig is still in good condition, as the documents show it was built of teakwood, considered almost indestructible.

**LAST VOLUME OF  
FEETHAM REPORT ON  
SHANGHAI**

(Continued from Page 1).

**BIGGER COUNCIL.**

In the chapter in which he suggests changes in the Council's procedure he explains that "procedure" covers generally the methods adopted by the Council for arriving at and giving effect to its decisions. He suggests that the Council be enlarged to not less than 22 members and not more than 30.

He describes the present procedure of Council meetings as informal procedure of a small executive body. This has the merits of freedom and simplicity but obviously would not be well adapted to requirements of a larger body. He then goes into the advantages of the committee system of administration, which he says would relieve the full Council of a great deal of detailed work.

**EXECUTIVE AUTHORITY.**

Judge Feetham is slightly critical of the procedure which allows certain chief officials—heads of departments, the Secretary-General, the Treasurer and Controller—to exercise a considerable measure of executive authority in carrying out the actual work of administration and deal on their own responsibility with many questions which are referred to the consideration of the Council or its committees.

**JUDGE FEETHAM RECOMMENDS**

Judge Feetham recommends the establishment of five or six standing committees and that the number of co-opted members of such committees be not in excess of one-third of the total committee membership.

**COUNCIL QUALIFICATION.**

Dealing with qualification of Council membership Judge Feetham says the Land Regulations deal only with financial qualifications whereas municipal constitutions usually contain express provision as to certain circumstances which have the effect of disqualifying persons from being elected Councillors.

In view of his proposals for increasing membership of the Council and prolonging the term of office to two years, Judge Feetham thinks it desirable that definite provisions dealing with these matters should be included in the Land Regulations when revised.

He mentions specifically the disqualification of Council officers and servants from membership, disqualification of members for habitual absence from meetings and inability to attend through illness or absence from Shanghai, and councillors being financially interested in contracts made with the Council.

**PERMANENT OFFICIALS.**

Judge Feetham also deals at length with the position of employees of the Council and suggests they be given, in certain sections, a status similar to that of civil servants. He stresses the need for security of tenure if employees are to discharge their important functions effectively. He suggests the placing of some officials on the permanent list as and when desired by the Council, pointing out that under the three-year contract system now functioning the Council has always been free to refuse to renew an employee's contract however near he may be to the pensionable age.—*Reuter*.

**THE SHANGHAI  
OUTLOOK**

**JAPAN WANTS REPLY  
TO PROTEST**

Shanghai Aug. 31.

Events seem to be moving in the same direction as those which precluded the recent Sino-Japanese hostilities at Shanghai.

It was learned to-day that Mr. K. Murai, Japanese Consul-General at Shanghai, intends to-morrow to request that the Mayor, Mr. Wu Teh-ch'en, formally reply within a stipulated time to the Japanese protest made on August 17 regarding the anti-Japanese movement.

In that protest Mr. Murai asked that drastic measures be employed to suppress the boycott activities, as he considered such movements to be most detrimental to the early restoration of friendly and normal commercial relations between China and Japan.—*Reuter*.

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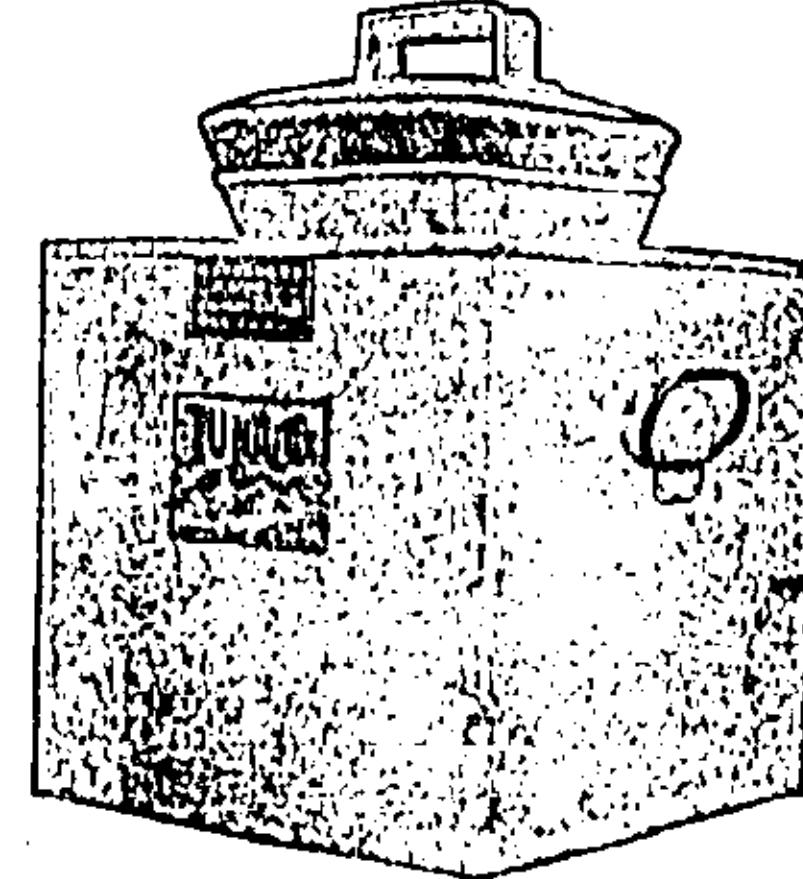
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### SWIMMING

## Y.M.C.A. WIN TRIANGULAR CONTEST

### SHANGHAI FANS WITNESS KEEN STRUGGLE

### WINNERS' BIG HANDICAP

The Foreign Y.M.C.A. ran out winners over the U.S. Marines in the triangular swimming contest that was held at the Rowing Club last night, scoring 36 points to their opponent's 31, while the Rowing Club aggregation only put up 27 points. A fairly good crowd of spectators was present despite the weather and some keen racing was witnessed. A feature of the swimming was the absence of C. H. Raven and despite this loss the Foreign Y.M.C.A. were able to win, scoring in the longer distances where young Jack Doughty shone.

In the Breast Stroke Otto Hagenstein was to the fore with his good swimming though Helmut Aust gave him a good race. The two were even for the first two lengths and then in the last Hagenstein went away. Duell, the Marine star, came up to give Aust a hard struggle, but the latter held his second place.

In the 50 yards sprint, Bobbie Richards proved himself no mean exponent and swam away from the opposition to win. Neither C. N. Brown or C. H. Raven were represented. The time was fairly good. The 100 yards free style saw Charlie Brown at his best and his 61 secs. gave a good indication as to what he will do in the championship.

The two relays were hard and close and both showed good competition. The Foreign Y.M.C.A. won the straight relay while in the medley they were beaten by the Marines. The programme was concluded by a water polo match.

### RELAY RACE.

1.—Foreign Y.M.C.A. (D. L. Raeburn, F. Harris, R. Dodd, J. Doughty, Jr.).

2.—U.S. Marines (Gill, Moran, Case and Leonard).

3.—Rowing Club (Donnelley, Richards, Fife, and Spottiswoode).

### 100 YARDS BREAST STROKE.

1. O. Hagenstein, 2. H. Aust, 3. R. R. Duell. Time 82-1/5 secs.

### 50 YARDS DASH.

1. R. N. Richards, 2. R. Dodd, 3. Leonard. Time 27-4/5 secs.

### 200 YARDS SWIM.

1. C. J. Doughty, Jr., 2. L. A. Chapin. Time 2 min. 55-4/5 secs.

### 100 YARDS BACK STROKE.

1. C. Hagenstein, 2. R. Purches, 3. A. Wagstaff. Time 78-4/5 secs.

### FANCY DIVING.

1. R. R. Duell, 2. V. Hamill, 3. Miss V. Prince. Time 61 secs.

### 100 YARDS SWIM.

1. C. N. Brown, 2. F. Harris, 3. W. Moran. Time 61 secs.

### 300 YARDS MEDLEY RELAY.

1. U.S.M.C. (Purches, Duell, Gill), 2. Rowing Club (Brown, Aust, Spottiswoode), 3. Foreign Y.M.C.A. (Hagenstein, McAllister, Doughty). Time 63 seconds.

### DURING SEPTEMBER



FOR the first time in the Xth Olympiad a victorious athlete was greeted with boos instead of cheers by the thousands of spectators who daily witnessed the track and field contests. Lauri Lehtinen, Finnish distance champion, drew a tremendous chorus of boos as he crossed the finish line in the 5,000 metre run. Spectators and many officials believed that Lehtinen deliberately fouled Ralph Hill, United States, as the two raced down the straightaway almost neck and neck. However, Chief Judge Holtz decided that Lehtinen did not willfully interfere with Hill and adjudged him the winner of the race.

## FRANCE SATISFIED

### SPORTS FEDERATION PRAISES U.S. SPORTSMANSHIP

Cherbourg, Aug. 25. M. Mericamp, Secretary General of the French Athletic Federation who arrived here from Los Angeles declared that the organization of the games was perfect. He greatly eulogized the American sense of sportsmanship, and expressed his satisfaction with the excellent form of French athletes. M. Mericamp greatly praised the courtesy of the Administration of the Tenth Olympiad. He further stated that the athletic contests were particularly hard in view of extremely hot weather and said that the nine victories scored by French athletes constituted a satisfactory result.

### ATLANTIC CROSSED IN SAILING BOAT

American Students Reach Tangier after Trip of 48 Days

Paris, Aug. 23. Five American students of Princeton University, who had left Massachusetts on July 5 in a 50 feet long sailing boat with the intention to cross the Atlantic, safely arrived at Tangier to-day after an adventurous trip lasting 48 days.

The five daring navigators who had taken along provisions for only 7 weeks and, although subsisting for some time on reduced rations, had nearly exhausted their supplies when they landed, not much the worse for all their experiences.

In their nut-shell sailboat these modern knights of adventure had taken to sea without having any modern navigation instruments, relying on an old-fashioned compass to find their way across the big pond and sticking as closely as possible to the 42 degree Northern latitude.

### GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP OF WORLD

Boston, Aug. 24. It is suggested here that Francis Ouimet, the amateur golf Champion of the United States, and Gene Sarazen, the British and United States Open champion, should play a 36-hole match for the mythical championship of the world.

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## Australian Cricketers in New York

Americans Cannot Understand Slow Pace of Game

### BASEBALL VERSUS CRICKET

New York, Aug. 20. The visiting Australian cricket team has come and gone—but the arguments linger on as to the relative merits of cricket and baseball.

Led by Don Bradman, the world's greatest cricket batsman and including on the team two other Australian test match players, the visitors from the Antipodes gave the metropolitan area its first glimpse of top-flight play and left the uninitiated wondering whether it was worth while.

A baseball fan, educated to the speed of major league play, will find cricket a very slow uninteresting substitute indeed. Try to sell a Babe Ruth follower the idea of sitting out in the sun from 11:30 in the morning until 7:30 in the evening—with time out for luncheon and tea—to see 200 or 300 runs scored.

The bowling, with the bowler taking a run of as many feet or yards as he wishes before delivering the ball with an overhand, full arm motion, is more exciting than the more limited act of pitching a baseball but there is nothing in cricket approximating the bunt, the squeeze play, the double play, the exciting fielding of a meeting between the Yankees and Athletics.

The fielders in cricket play without gloves and their lazy way of going after batted balls would not be tolerated even in a high school baseball game. The liberty allowed the batter either to exchange wickets with his partner or stand still and score no runs after hitting a ball also is puzzling to baseball followers.

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Hongkong, 29th August, 1932.

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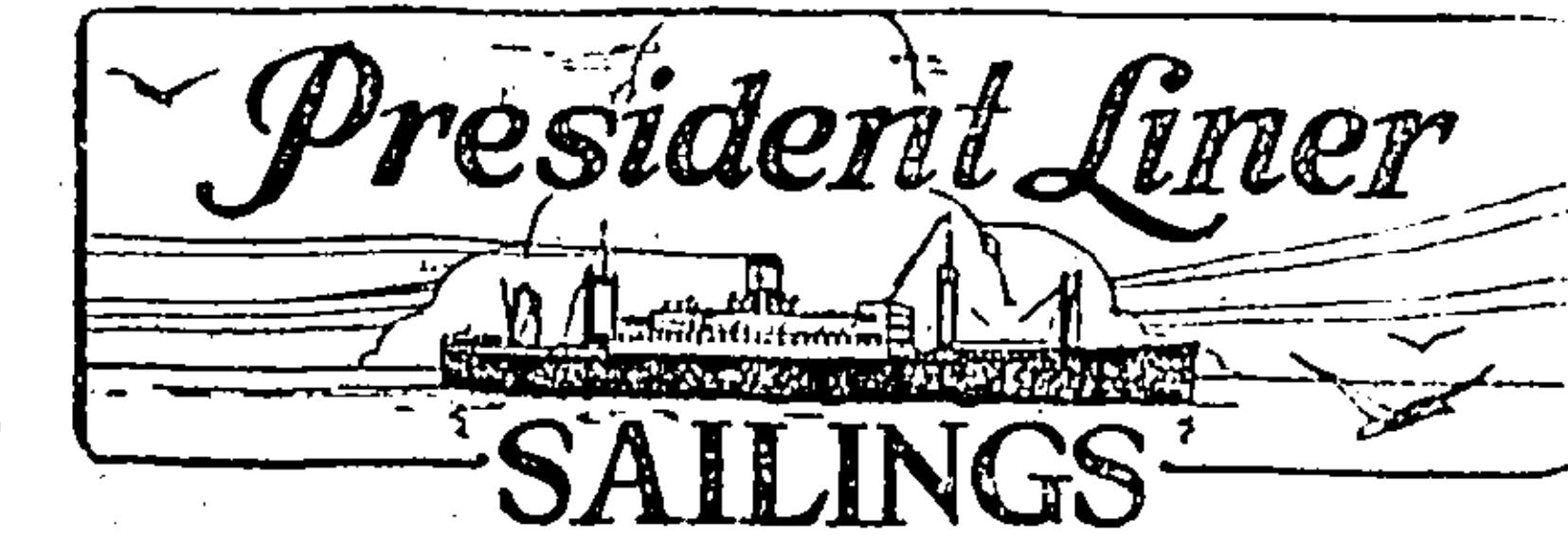
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**LEAP YEAR BRIDE**

(Continued from Page 3).

Cherry hesitated. "I was thinking," she went on, "that it would be nice if you'd come with me some time."

"Cherry, you know I can't do that!"

"Oh, I know you couldn't during the week but on Sunday or some evening."

Phillips' chin was set in a hard line. "I can't go Sunday or any time," he said sharply. "Your father asked me to leave his house. I can't go into it—and I won't—until he asks me to come. You can go there as often as you please but you'll have to go alone!"

"But, Dan—"

"There's no use talking about it, Cherry. That's the way I feel and I won't change my mind. If your father wants me to come he can ask me."

The girl sat silent. It was no use; when Dan took that tone she might as well keep quiet. He was as stubborn in his way as was her father. Cherry sighed. After a little she began to talk of other things. Dan's surliness disappeared and when they left the restaurant he was in good spirits once more.

"How about a movie?" he suggested.

"No, Dan, I think I'd rather go home. To tell the truth I'm sort of homesick to see the place again."

Dan had been right about his efforts at housecleaning. Inspired though they were by high motives, the results were questionable. He had certainly failed to "get rid of all the dust."

Cherry was at work early next morning. She wore an old dress that was ruined for any other purpose, rolled up her sleeves and tied a towel about her head. For an hour she wielded a broom vigorously. Then with a pail of warm soapy water she began to wash woodwork. She had just finished scrubbing the floor of the bathroom when the ringing of the bell indicated that someone downstairs wanted to see her.

Cautionally Cherry looked over the bannister.

"Oh, Martin!" she called, "I had no idea it was so late! If you'll wait just a few minutes I'll hurry!"

She darted back into the apartment, threw off the disreputable dress and dashed water on her face. Ten minutes later she came running down the stairs.

Martin, dignified as always, helped her into the car and closed the door after her.

Cherry enjoyed the drive. She found her mother sitting in the big chair before a window of her bedroom. A bowl of roses from her garden filled the room with their spicy perfume. There was sunshine outside but the bedroom was cool and lowered awnings kept out the glare of the sun.

Mrs. Dixon was smiling as Cherry entered. The nurse slipped away and left them together. They were talking of inconsequential subjects when in the midst of a sentence, Mrs. Dixon's words broke off.

"Cherry!" she exclaimed. "Your hands—what on earth have you been doing with them?"

The girl glanced down. Against the brown crepe of her frock her two hands flamed bright pink. They looked swollen and rough.

"Why—I—" Cherry began, "they do look badly, don't they?"

It—it must have been something in the water."

She knew very well what had caused that redness—the compound she had put into the scrubbing water. Cherry laughed uneasily. "I'll have to get a lotion of some sort, I guess."

"There's one on my dressing table," Mrs. Dixon instructed her. "Put some on right away. I've always been proud of your hands, Cherry. You mustn't let anything spoil them."

The girl had found the sweet-smelling mixture and poured some of it into her palm. "Of course not," she said. "I'll remember."

Three days later Cherry noticed her mother again looking at her hands. "I must remember," the girl thought, "I'll have to get rubber gloves and wear them."

There was another incident that disturbed Cherry. It was the second week after she had returned to the apartment and housework. She arrived at her parents' home late in the afternoon. Mrs. Dixon was in the living room with two guests, Mrs. Alden and her daughter, Gretchen.

Gretchen Alden, who was fair-haired and blue-eyed, looked particularly attractive in a frock of blue organdie. Her leghorn hat had just enough of the Watteau shepherdess about it and just enough of the Parisian designer's touch to be both picturesque and chic.

Cherry was wearing a shantung sports dress. It was one from last summer and looked it but Cherry herself had not been conscious of this fact until she saw Gretchen. Mrs. Alden and her daughter excused themselves soon and Cherry saw them to the door.

When she returned Mrs. Dixon said, "Cherry, I want you to go to Madeline's to-morrow and pick out some new clothes. Charge them to my account. It will be all right."

"Oh, but I couldn't do that! Dan would never stand for it."

"Then you'll have to manage without his knowing. I'm not going to have you practically in rags. You look a sight! Besides, we really need some dresses."

Cherry laughed. "I'm sure I don't know what for," she said. "We're not going anywhere. Dan's holding over his vacation until fall so we can save some money."

"But I want you to promise me you'll get those dresses."

Cherry couldn't very well refuse. There didn't seem to be any reason why she should. After all, why should Dan object if her mother wanted to buy her a few pretty dresses?

"I'll see," she said. "I can't go tomorrow but I'll see. That was a pretty thing Gretchen was wearing, wasn't it?"

It was two days later that Cherry's father stopped her as she was going through the hall.

"Come into the study a moment, will you?" he asked. "Your mother and I have a plan and I hope you'll agree with us."

(To be continued.)

**SEVENTEEN DROWNED.**

JAPANESE STEAMER SINKS IN

FIVE MINUTES

Hakodate, Aug. 31.

Seventeen members of the crew of the steamer Kumio Maru were drowned as a result of a collision with the Raito Maru off the coast of Hokkaido to-day.

The ill-fated vessel sank within five minutes. Only 11 were saved.

—Reuter's Special.

**FORCED LANDING.**

PACIFIC FLYER DOWN ON

ALEUTIAN ISLANDS

Tokyo, Aug. 31.

The German aviator von Gronau, who is attempting to fly the Pacific, was forced to make a landing on Kamchatka Island in the Aleutians yesterday morning.

The information, which came by wireless and was picked up at Ochotan, stated that bad weather was the cause.—Reuter.

Captain von Gronau, who recently crossed the Atlantic via Ireland in a flying-boat, arrived at Cordova, safely, on August 25, with three companions.

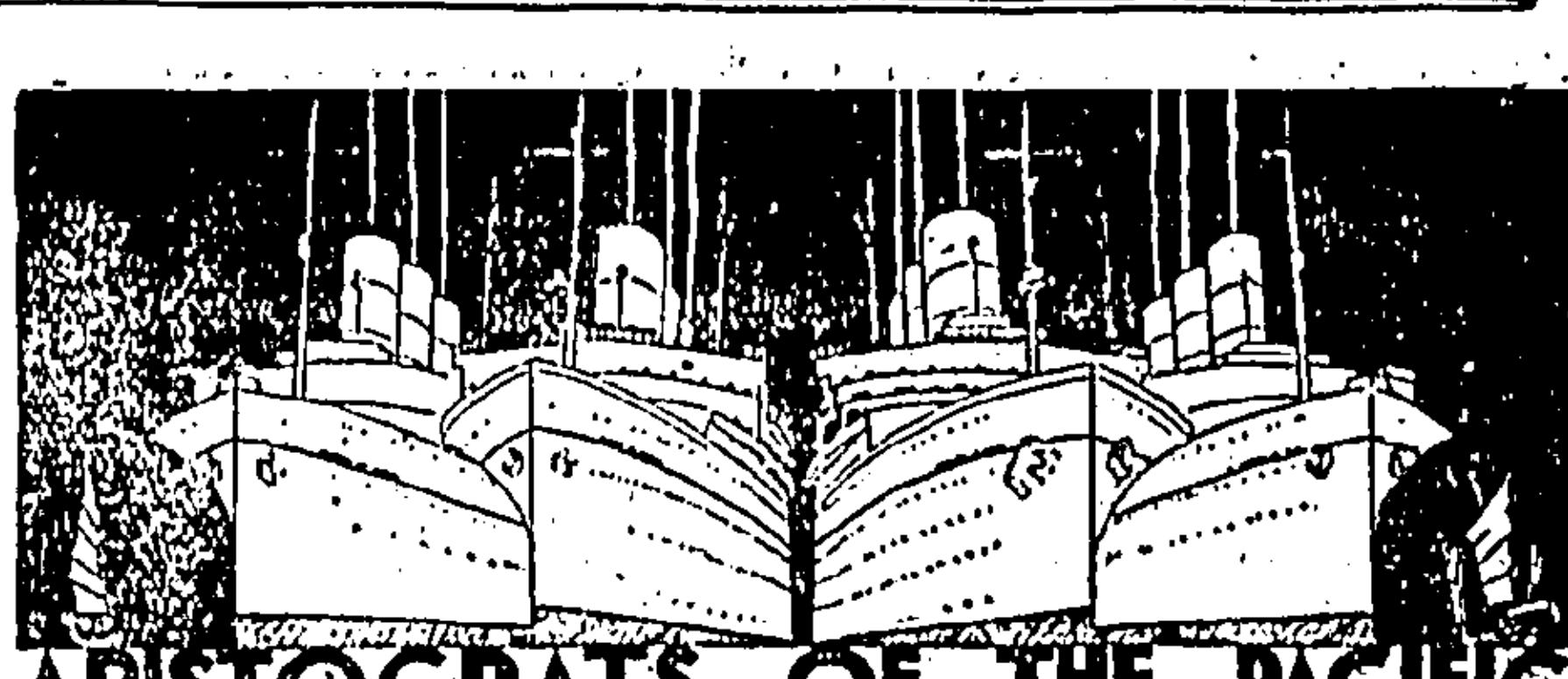
They are attempting to make a flight round the world flying by the westerly route, hoping to return eventually to Germany, whence they started.

He hopped off from Cordova, shortly before noon on August 26, for Dutch Harbour.

Awaited at Shanghai.

Plans are going ahead in Shanghai to give Gronau an elaborate reception.

He has been invited to be the guest of Baron Ruedt von Collenberg, German Consul-General at Shanghai. It is possible, however, that the baron may necessarily be absent from Shanghai between September 4 and 18, which period may coincide with that of the flier's visit. In that case his party will be guests of Mr. A. O. Waser, General Manager of the Astor House Hotel, whose invitation is also awaiting him in Tokyo. There will be many social functions.

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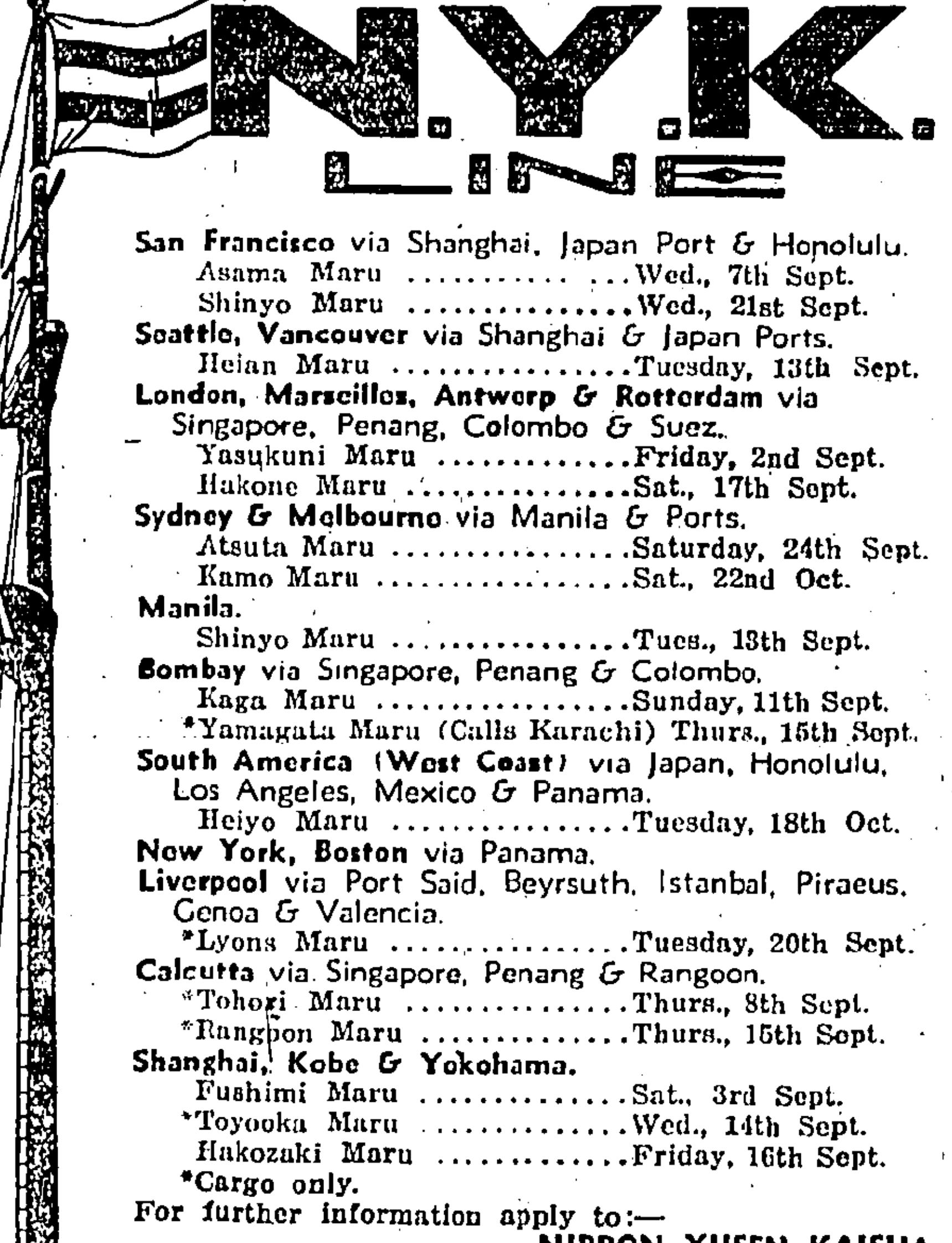
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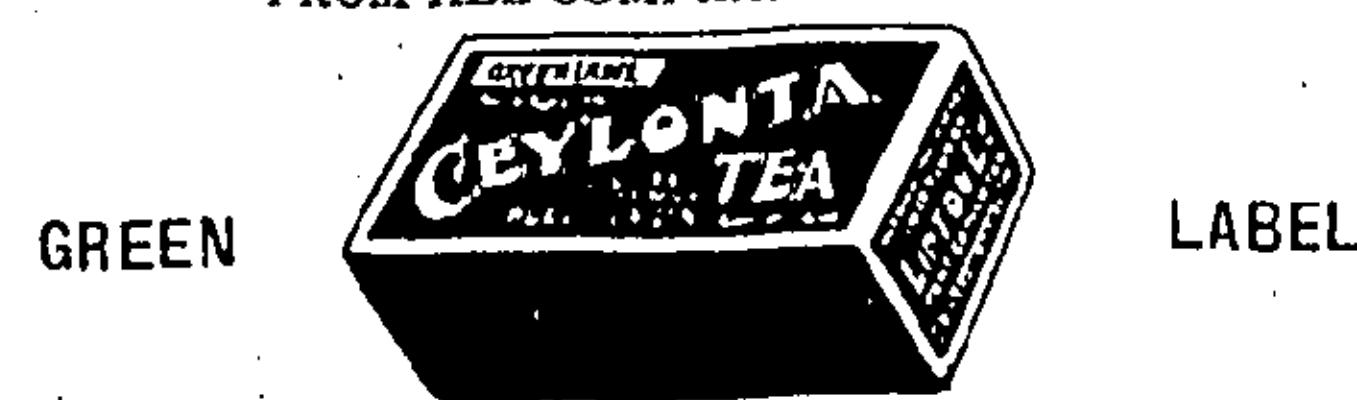
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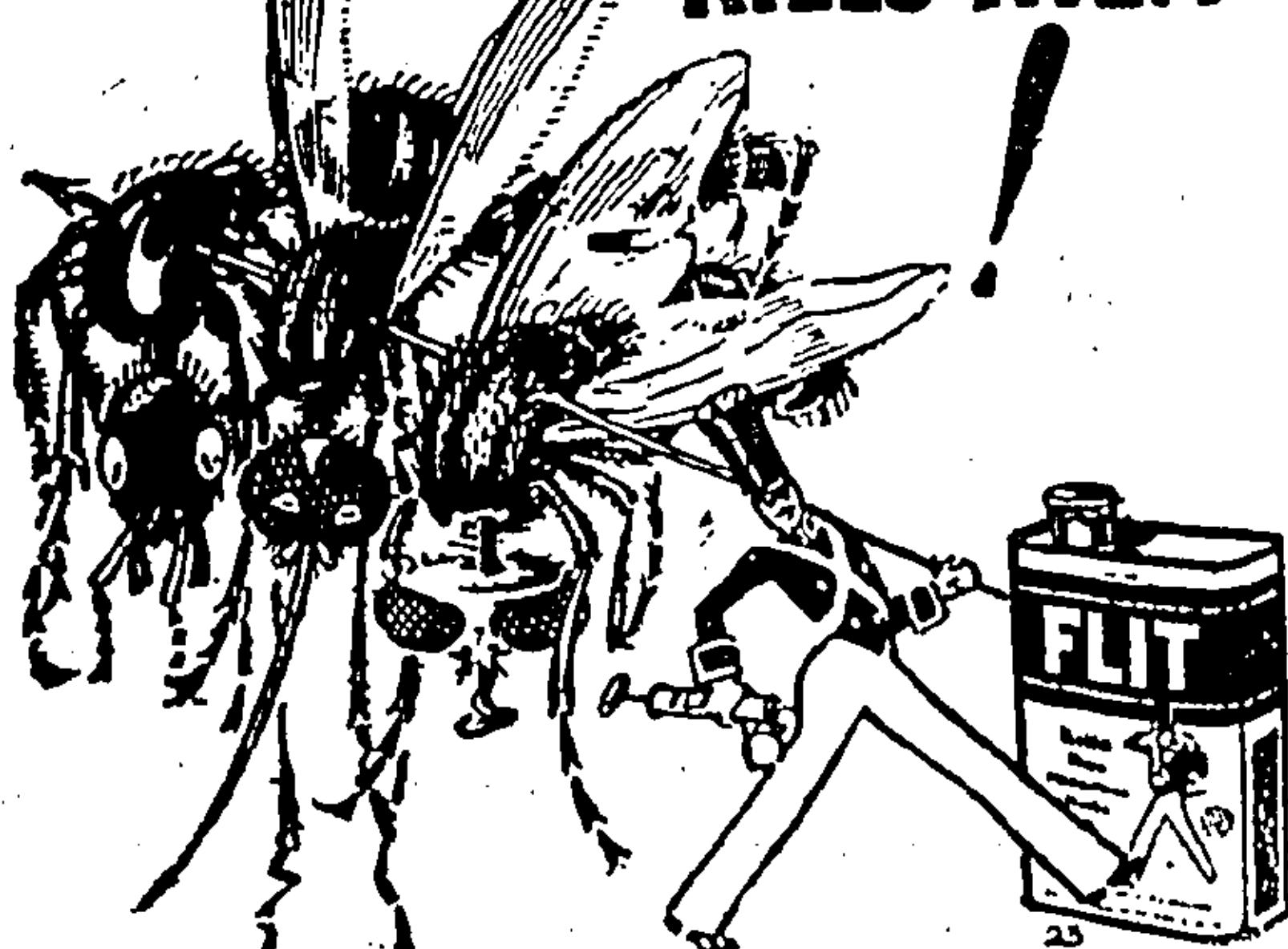
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### MURDER TRIAL ARGUMENT

#### COURT RESERVES ITS DECISION

The legal fight for the life of Cheng Kwoh-yau concluded yesterday afternoon when the Full Court, comprising the Chief Justice (Sir Joseph Kemp) and the Puisne Judge (Mr. Justice Wood) reserved decision.

Mr. Eldon Potter rose to reply to the prosecution's arguments immediately after the fifth adjournment, when he said he would submit two points. The first point covered a number of sub-heads and the second point was on the fact that there was no evidence to go to a jury on the question of agency.

Dealing with the last point first, Mr. Potter said it was interesting to note that it was mentioned by the Crown only as one of their last words before the conclusion.

Mr. Potter submitted that on the points put by his learned friend Mr. Sheldon, it was impossible to say there was a *prima facie* case to go before the jury in view of the authorities he had placed before the court.

These heads submitted by the Crown were arrived at only by mere conjecture. The suggestion regarding the chauffeur and the whole of Zimmern and Christie evidence was not even in law, evidence of agency.

#### Pure Conjecture.

He put it to the court that it was pure conjecture, and if any inference could be drawn from the evidence, which they denied, that inference would be that in fact Lau was not the authorised agent, because they would recollect that as a result of the calling of the gang together, it was merely so that they should hold Fung whilst his face was slapped.

Dealing with the admissibility of evidence, Mr. Potter said that with great deference to the Crown he submitted that they had absolutely avoided the one real point on that aspect of the case. Mr. Sheldon had confined himself to the law on one case of Halsbury's and had left untouched the real issue. The Crown had told their Lordships that because it was a case of procurement it made no difference at all. He submitted that it made all the difference in the world.

#### Three Points Avoided.

Mr. Potter submitted that the Crown had avoided dealing with the following three points:

(1) That this is a case of procurement, which they (the defence) had called agency.

(2) That the Tsui and Zimmern and Christie transactions were entirely separate and entirely distinct and did not fall within the test applied by Mr. Justice Kennedy in Bond's case. That Mr. Sheldon had not said one word to counter the argument of the defence on this point.

(3) That if the two things are separate then the assault and plot are not admissible to the case. That is the whole basis of the argument, said Mr. Potter. That the two things were separate. If it was one and the same transaction then he admitted that all

were not admissible to the case.

The remainder of the afternoon was taken up with argument on cases submitted by the Crown. Mr. Potter contended that they had no bearing on the present charge and concluded by citing instances where the Full Court had quashed convictions because they considered miscarriage of justice had taken place.

The Court reserved judgment.

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London, Aug. 31. Five new stations and four and a half miles of railway track will be added to the equipment of the Underground Railways within the next three weeks.

The total number of stations will then be raised to 130 and the track mileage to 132 miles, including 46 miles of deep level tubes.

Extensions of the line in other directions will be completed later in the year.

Trains run on London's Underground from 5.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. the following morning at an average frequency of one every two and a half minutes, but the latest statistics show that although nearly 6,000,000 passengers travel by Underground every year, the omnibus is the most popular means of transport.

Of every 496 journeys, per head, which were made in 1931 by Londoners, 236 were by omnibus, 130 by trams, 78 by Underground, fifty by suburban trains and two by coaches.—*British Wireless*.

## SHORE-TO-SHIP TELEPHONE

## SERVICE TO SIX BIG LINERS

London, Aug. 31. The Postmaster General announces that the radio telephone service with ships on the North Atlantic route now covers the Empress of Britain, the Homeric, the Leviathan, the Majestic, the Olympic and the Bremen.

The charge for a person-to-person call to any of these ships is twelve shillings per minute when the ship is within 500 miles of Land's End and twenty-four shillings at other times, with a minimum charge as for three minutes.—*British Wireless*.

## SHAKEN NERVES

## MOLLISON NOT TO FLY HOME

## MEDICAL ADVICE

London, Aug. 31. The Atlantic airman, Mr. J. A. Mollison, who has been awaiting favourable weather in Nova Scotia to continue his return flight to England, has, on urgent medical advice, decided to abandon the project and will leave Quebec for England on Saturday aboard the Empress of Britain.

Mollison's nerves were severely shaken during his experiences on the outward flight across the Atlantic.

He received several appeals from this side to accept his doctor's advice, including a cable from Lord Wakefield, who has supported most of his long-distance flights.

Mollison is flying to Quebec to-morrow, it is understood.

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The famous airman says: "I have already demonstrated the superiority of British aeroplane manufacturers, which was what I set out to prove."

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## TYPHOON, FLOOD, CHOLERA

## FOOCHOW FACES TROUBLES

Foochow, Aug. 27. Cholera, typhoon, flood—this briefly describes the history of Foochow for the last few weeks.

On Wednesday, 24th inst., the barometer began to fall rapidly, and between the evening of the 24th and noon on the 25th it fell at least four-tenths of an inch. The wind increased in intensity and veered round from North to Northwest and then to west with the result that considerable damage was done to house property.

It was still blowing strong the night of Thursday (25th) although

## PAYNTER TO GO TO AUSTRALIA

## K. S. DULEEPSINHJI UNWELL

## SUSSEX'S LAPSES EXPLAINED

London, Aug. 31. In view of the illness of K. S. Duleepsinhji, the brilliant Sussex skipper-batsman, the M.C.C. have selected an extra man, Paynter (Lancashire) to accompany the team to Australia.

Duleepsinhji has been suffering from neuritis which has kept him out of the Sussex team for the last few matches, a heavy blow to the county which had a distinct chance of carrying off the championship until Duleepsinhji's absence destroyed much of their power.

The famous Indian player will be unable to sail with the other members of the M.C.C. on September 17, but he hopes to be able to join the side later.

Paynter is a left-hander, possessing considerable scoring power and commendable smartness in the field. His stroke play is held to be rather limited and he has not revealed in representative games his prowess in county matches.—*Reuter*.

the barometer had recovered most of the ground it had lost, and on Friday it was blowing strong from the east and southeast. Since then the rain has been incessant, and a large part of the Foochow plain is flooded to quite a depth. No doubt the water will continue to rise, as there must have been a heavy rainfall up country. It is to be hoped that the wind, rain, and cooler air will effectively drive away the last remnant of the cholera.

The air is still thick with rumours of impending changes in the personnel of the Provincial Government, and it will be almost a comfort when the changes actually take place, if they are to take place. Meantime both governors and governors are in a state of uncertainty which is not good for either.—*Our Own Correspondent*.



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